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Remove the wings at the joint nearest the body and the legs at the first joint above the feet.

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When the paraffin has hardened, small feathers and down may be removed easily by scraping with a small knife. Paraffin may be used many times.

Like all game birds, Duck should be allowed to hang in temperature just above freezing for at least 48 hours before they are cooked.

A simple recipe for Roast Duck is:

First stuff with sliced apple or whole peeled onion. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Cover breast with two very thin slices of either fat, salt-pork or bacon.

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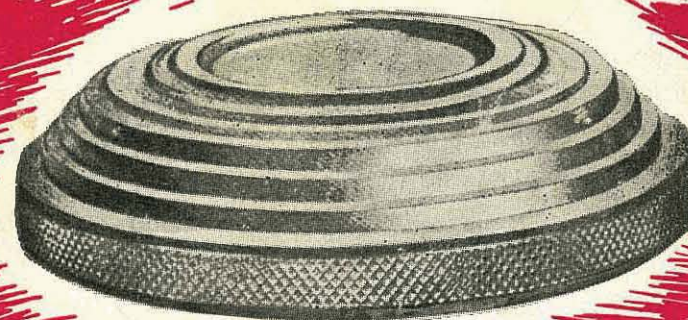
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Australia-New Zealand Annual Teams' Match for the GLEN CUP

History

This is an inter-Dominion shoot between Australia and New Zealand which commenced in Southport, Qld. (where it was dead-heated) eight years ago. This event is shot alternatively, year by year, in Australia, thence New Zealand, and progressive results to date are:—

Winners	Hosted in
1960 N.Z./AUST., tied 118/120	AUST.
1961 N.Z. . . . 117/120	N.Z.
1962 AUST. . . . 117/120	AUST.
1963 N.Z. . . . 118/120	N.Z.
1964 AUST. . . . 118/120	AUST.
1965 N.Z. . . . 177/180	N.Z.
1966 AUST. . . . 117/120	AUST.
1967 AUST. . . . 115/120	N.Z.

After a number of visits by individuals and groups of shooters each way across the Tasman Sea during the 1950's, prominent N.Z. shooters Peter Matheson and Bill Nix, in March 1960, offered to present a trophy to commence official tours, with the trophy to be known as the Glenn Cup in honour of T.M. ("Tom") Glenn.

Shoot Procedure

All team members make their own travel arrangements, teams to consist of six shooters. Both teams shoot at 20 targets per shooter from 16 yards. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value, kills only to count, ten targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off ten targets per shooter until one team survives. Cartridges shall be of the prescribed 1½ oz. shot load as for the championship series.

Australian Team Selection (1968)

The six top Australian scorers in the Australia/New Zealand Championship comprise the Australian team.

New Zealand Team Selection (1968)

The six top New Zealand scorers in the Australian National Double-barrel Championship. A shoot-off will be held for this team if necessary, but if the shoot-off cannot be arranged, the team Captain will make the final selection.

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REGISTERED SHOOTERS

Article 49 of the Articles of Association of the Australian Clay Target Association states: (a) The Association shall keep a register of shooters and no person may enter or compete at any Association competition or event conducted by a member Club of which a Delegate is a member of the Association unless such person is registered with the Association and is not in arrears with his subscription.

(b) Each member Club and each member who is the Delegate of an unincorporated Club shall BEFORE THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF JANUARY IN EACH YEAR supply the Secretary with a full and accurate list of all members and shooters registered with such club for the year commencing on the first day of January of such year and shall at the same time remit to the Secretary the subscriptions of such Club members and shooters. Each member Club and each member who is the Delegate of an unincorporated Club shall also promptly forward to the Secretary of the Association the names and subscriptions of any persons joining such club or registering as shooters after the thirty-first day of January in any year.

The above information is given for the benefit of secretaries and shooters alike. In the past, the cost to the Association of the preparation and mailing A.C.T.A. shooting "News" to unfinancial shooters has been far too heavy. MARCH 1968 "NEWS" WILL BE MAILED ONLY TO SHOOTERS FINANCIAL (ACTUALLY RECEIVED BY THE A.C.T.A.) AS OF FEBRUARY 16, 1968.

DELEGATE APPOINTMENT

Affiliated units of the A.C.T.A. are reminded that they are entitled to one delegate (Article 15) to represent their interests at the Annual Meeting. However, delegates can only be accepted providing the Association "Articles of Association" are complied with. This involves the completion of the necessary forms, namely "Acceptance of Membership (Article 5(a))", "Nomination of Representative" (Article 21) (in the case of a corporate club, or "Nomination of Delegate" (Articles 5(c) and 16) (in the case of an unincorporated club), followed finally by "Notice of Acceptance of Delegates". Official printed forms as applicable are obtainable from the A.C.T.A. office. It should be noted that nomination of a representative or member delegate can only be accepted providing all subscriptions and monies due by either the nominee or the club, to the Association, have been paid as provided for in Article 49.

It is also pointed out that where a representative or delegate has been appointed previously, and this has not been officially rescinded, the appointment as previously made will stand, until the Association is advised or instructed otherwise. In accordance with the Articles of Association, clubs cannot appoint a delegate other than on the prescribed form (letters are unacceptable).

Each 1967 financial affiliated member club has been mailed a Delegate Card (for unincorporated clubs) or a Representative Card (for incorporated clubs). These cards must be presented

by the respective financial shooters concerned to obtain permission to attend and be eligible to vote at future annual general meetings.

1968 ANNUAL MEETING

The 1968 annual meeting of affiliated club delegates and representatives of member clubs will be held on Sunday, March 10, at the Blair Athol Hotel (half-way between Adelaide and the Gun Club on the Prospect Road). Delegates and representatives to assemble at 7.30 p.m. and the meeting to begin at 8.00 p.m.

Only such items as submitted within the Association Articles and published on the Agenda shall be discussed.

NOMINATIONS FOR EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, 1968

The following nominations have been received by the A.C.T.A. Secretary for the Executive Committee for the 1968 period:

PRESIDENT:

J. M. TYQUIN
(one to be elected)

QUEENSLAND:

1. W. A. EDWARDS
 2. W. A. GORDON
 3. L. S. R. STEWART
- (two to be elected)

NEW SOUTH WALES:

1. A. E. CREGAN
 2. N. A. MILLIKEN
 3. K. S. SOAMES
- (two to be elected)

VICTORIA:

1. G. BIGGS
 2. R. A. PEACOCK
 3. A. PEDERSEN
 4. H. SMITH
- (two to be elected)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA:

R. C. MULES
(one to be elected)

TASMANIA:

W. E. H. RAINBIRD
(one to be elected)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA:

N. WELLS
(one to be elected)

The election of seats on the Executive Committee of the Association will take place during the holding of the 1968 Annual General Meeting of the A.C.T.A. at the Blair Athol Hotel, Prospect, South Australia, during the evening of Sunday, March 10.

A.C.T.A. 1968 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS and INTERNATIONAL MATCH will be conducted over five traps at the grounds of the South Australian Gun Club (S. Aust.) at the thirteen-mile post out of Adelaide on the Port Wakefield Road, commencing at 8.00 a.m. daily over the five days, Saturday, March 9, until p.m. Wednesday, March 13, inclusive. The programme has been amended to avoid a carry-over of events and will progress as follows, with the provision that, subject to time permitting each day, a \$300 Cash Handicap event will be added. The first day, Saturday, will see the winner of the coveted Champion of Champions Cup (1967 winner was W. Stevens, Ipswich, Q.). On the second day, Sunday, the National Intermediate Championship (1967 winner, P. A. Veale, N.Z.) will be shot in conjunction with the National Double-barrel Championship (1967 winner, D. Smith, Qld.). The third day, Monday, will commence with the National Single-barrel Championship (1967 winner, also D. Smith, Qld.), followed by the National Double Rise Championship (1967 winner, J. N. Thomas, V.). On the fourth day, Tuesday, the 1968 Australia-New Zealand Championship (1967 winner was K. Heywood, N.S.W.) shall be contested; this will be followed by the Australia-New Zealand Teams' Match for the Tom Glenn Cup.

[NOTE: Results of these Aust./N.Z. contests, to date, are shown elsewhere in this publication (with acknowledgements to N.Z.G.C.A. Secretary, W. H. Stewart).]

A \$300 Handicap event is then scheduled to take place. For the fifth and final day, the Twenty-second International Teams' Match for the Mackintosh Trophy will be conducted (Australian Team to be the 30 highest aggregate scorers in the Aust.-N.Z. Ch'ship and the Aust. Nat. S.B. and D.B. Ch'ships—of which only the

best 25 scores are to count. Final scores are to be withheld pending complete results from overseas). The last scheduled event is to be the Nineteenth Grand Australian \$550 Handicap. The High Gun Trophy will be donated again by Fabrique Nationale of Belgium and Gollin & Co. of Sydney (as agents for N.S.W., Q'land and S. Aust.), with the provision that it may be won only once by any shooter. This will be competed for over the programmed events numbered 1 to 7 inclusive. (1966 High Gun, C. Hartley, N.Z.; 1967 High Gun, M. Burgess, Cobar.)

If a shoot-off is necessary to determine the High Gun winner, then the shoot-off shall be shot under handicap conditions.

During the programme all New Zealand shooters will shoot two yards back from their New Zealand handicaps and ALL SHOOTERS MUST SHOW CURRENT HANDICAP CARDS WHEN NOMINATING FOR EACH EVENT.

The official photographer at the A.C.T.A. National shoots will be F. LANG of P.O. Box 40, TWEED HEADS, N.S.W.

Trophies will be presented daily from a dais after each event.

Ten Referees are required for the 1968 National Championships—applications to be forwarded to A.C.T.A. for submission and consideration.

Cartridges to be used in the 1968 National and International Championships shall be of the same load as in the 1966 series, but contained in a plastic shell with appropriate markings.

Official Travel Agent for the series will be TRANS AUSTRALIA AIRLINES of 50 Franklin St., Melbourne, Vic.

Official Accommodation Agent is Mrs. Dorothy Dowling Agency of 74 Melbourne Street, North Adelaide, South Aust.

Visiting New Zealand shooters and their wives are invited to a buffet luncheon on the Saturday—admission by ticket from A.C.T.A. Secretary.

New Zealand shooters are reminded that Mr. Malcolm Fuller of Fuller Firearms, Sydney, will donate a high-grade Stirling shotgun to the first New Zealander to win the Australian Double-barrel Championship or the Australia-New Zealand Championship. (With acknowledgments to N.Z.G.C.A. "Gunshot" publication—Sept., 1967.)

The final series of the 1968 International Teams' Match will be conducted on Friday, July 5, near Cardiff, Wales, and a cordial invitation has been extended by the Clay Pigeon Shooting Association to any Australian shooters wishing to attend.

The 1969 Australian National Clay Target Trapshooting Championships will be conducted in the State of Victoria at a place and date yet to be decided.

The 1970 Australian National Championships. The Executive Committee has recommended for the consideration of the 1969 Committee that, subject to bitumen road and rail facilities being A1, the 1970 National Championships be held in Perth (W. Aust.).

The 1967 Interstate Teams' Match was won by Victoria with a combined score of 495/300 (shot at Geelong G.C. 13-5-67). Details Nov. '67 News.

The 1967 Interstate Skeet Teams' Match was won by Victoria with a combined score of 120/125 (shot at Australian G.C. 2-9-67). Consequent upon a delay in the despatch of the West Australian results of the 1967 Interstate Skeet Teams' Match, amended and complete details of this contest are as listed elsewhere in this publication. The W.A. team shot 113/125.

The 1968 New Zealand Championship series will be conducted by the New Zealand Gun Club's Association at the Timaru Gun Club from Saturday, March 30, through to Saturday, April 6, inclusive.

At the time of going to press, no information has been received from either the Australian Olympic

Federation or the Australian Joint Shooting Council concerning the 1968 Olympic Games (Mexico City in March), neither do we know whether any shotgunners are to be included in the Australian Team.

Club Secretaries are advised:—

1. And all shooters are reminded that **CURRENT HANDICAP CARDS MUST BE PRESENTED AT ALL SHOTS.**

2. Due to the high costs involved, club secretaries will no longer receive a gratis copy of A.C.T.A. Clay Target Shooting News. The Executive Committee is aware of the present-day increases of all attendant costs and wishes to remind clubs and shooters alike that unless registration fees increase, all break badge insignia and other free material (excepting "International Badges") will have to be curtailed.

3. Handicap cards must be handed to the club Secretary when nominating at any shoot. The card will then be marked whether, or not, of any alteration under the handicapping formula, or with an asterisk (*) where the full programme has not been contested. A.C.T.A. must then be informed, within seven days, by use of the new handicap return form as issued to all clubs. Shooters shall collect their cards at the completion of the day's programme. (See Dec. '67 "News" for full details.)

4. **ANNUAL SHOOTER REGISTRATION FEE** of \$3.00 is payable via club secretaries.

5. To non-shooter subscribers A.C.T.A. Shooting "News" is \$5.00 per annum. No pro-rata rates are considered.

6. The Handicapping Formula is calculated on the retail value of trophies.

7. Handicapping —

(a) The Formula commences "Cash or Trophy value wins and divisions obtained in one day"—this includes yardage prizes. Thus, a shooter may be handicapped after his results in, say, the first event, but, unless that plus his results in the following events do not total in excess of \$101, then only one yard per day can be applied to the shooter.

(b) Championships —

(i) A shooter winning a championship which is shot from in front of his current A.C.T.A. handicap receives no alteration to his recorded handicap.

(ii) A shooter winning a championship which is shot from behind his current A.C.T.A. handicap receives an immediate handicap alteration to that of the championship.

(iii) A shooter winning a championship which is shot from his own current A.C.T.A. handicap receives an immediate adjustment according to the Handicapping Formula and the prescribed Championship Trophies.

8. A.C.T.A. Rules for Down-the-line and skeet shooting applicable as of January 1, 1968, are listed elsewhere in this publication.

9. Referees are reminded to watch all shooters and to observe the types of ammunition being used, as, under the varying conditions of light, the plastic wads as inserted by some manufacturers may be mistaken for a chip of the clay target.

All are reminded that when a target is broken, then the target usually deflects slightly one way or the other — either up or down, left or right.

10. Duties of a Referee

(1) A Referee should wear his badge at all times.

(2) when wearing such badge a Referee may be requested, by the club concerned, to referee the shoot and is obliged to assist accordingly.

(3) He should check all traps for correct heights and angles. (See diagram this publication.)

(4) He must only referee the event, but may release the targets where electric release is provided.

(5) He should never score, as this distracts his attention.

11. The method of allocating trophies and prizes is:

(a) First, second and third trophy winners cannot take part in yardage prizes.

(b) Yardage prizes are a separate entity and are virtually a bonus for the respective best scorers within the groups concerned.

12. Enamelled metal badges are only struck by the makers against firm orders by this, your Association office. Club secretaries only may request these badges ON THE PRESCRIBED FORM, which will be of the standard A.C.T.A. insignia with the surround, containing the year, the championship title, the winner's initials and name. Such lettering on the surround will be in the following colours:—

Commonwealth Championships	— Blue
State	— Red
District	— White
Club	— Green

Clubs are charged \$2.50 for each badge ordered.

13. Championship Sashes only may be ordered direct from the makers by club secretaries. Recommended and official makers are W. FLATTELY & SON, 11 ORR STREET, CARLTON, 3053, VICTORIA. Colours for the respective gradings of championships are as for BADGES as shown above.

14. Break badges in cloth form are available free to shooters, but ONLY where the SCORE SHEETS as submitted by the Club Secretary ON THE PRESCRIBED FORM to A.C.T.A. Secretary, clearly show the shooter has earned this right. Break badges are for 50, 75, 100, 150, 200, 250 and 300 breaks (see Rule No. 91). Such a badge is also available free, on application by club Secretaries, for shooters who have attained the handicap of 27 yards.

15. Enamelled car badges are available at \$2.50.

16. Available to clubs on request at nominal prices are

- (a) shoot record books
- (b) shoot report forms (padded) for "News"
- (c) D.T.L. score-sheets (padded)
- (d) Skeet score sheets (padded)
- (e) A.C.T.A. Shooting Rules — D.T.L.
- (f) A.C.T.A. Shooting Rules — Skeet

17. Rules Interpretations —

(1) Rule 43 permits two malfunctions of a gun — referee will then

declare "LOST TARGET". All malfunctions or misfires must be noted on score sheets, then on shoot records.

(2) All Ties shoot-offs (except Deauville Doubles, which are shot off in squads of two shooters) are shot squad system, in the same manner as the event was shot. All shooters commence on the same trap (except in the case of a major breakdown of the said trap).

Shooters shall be squadded in the same order in which they qualified. Shooters shall close up after each five targets per shooter and shall be re-squadded at the commencement of each run over the trap or traps.

(a) Single - Barrel and Double - Barrel down-the-line (5 tracks) are shot off the same yardage as the elimination event was shot, in squads of 5 or 6, unless insufficient shooters exist for the last squad. First miss-out.

(b) Mixed Birds — squads of 5 or 6 (as for S.B. or D.B.): (i) two targets Double Barrel; (ii) two targets Single Barrel; 5 tracks (first shooter commences on Number One track); (iii) two targets Walk-up (squads of 5 or 6) from the centre track. Number one shooter shoots at one target, he then returns to the rear of the squad, each shooter doing the same in turn; (iv) Double Rise — two pairs, each target to count as one point. (Total is 10 Points.)

(c) Walk-up (squads of 5 or 6 as in (a) above) to be shot in lots of 5 targets until finality. All shooters shoot from the centre track, Number one shooter shoots at one target — he then returns to the rear of the squad, each shooter doing the same, in turn, as in Rule No. 96.

(d) Deauville Doubles (first miss-out) — shot from tracks 2 and 4, one team of two shooters at a time, as in Rule No. 94.

AT ALL TIMES, A SQUAD IS A SPECIFIC NUMBER OF SHOOTERS, thus:—

squad of 5 = normal down-the-line
squad of 6 = normal down-the-line
last squad of 2 to 6 = normal down-the-line

Squad may be up to 10 (5 pairs) for Deauville Doubles, excepting the case of a last squad.

(3) SLOW PULL:

Some shooters seem to consider they can decide whether a pull is "fast" or "slow", but this is NOT SO.

The DECISION of the REFEREE in all cases coming under his jurisdiction, as in A.C.T.A. Rules, shall be FINAL (Rule 14).

Also, Rule 31 states clearly —

"NO TARGET" shall be declared when a trap is sprung at a material interval of time before or after the call of "PULL". Thus, no referee would permit a delay (as in letters received) of up to three seconds within the meaning of this rule.

(4) Double-Rise Call. The Committee has instructed that the call in double-rise shooting must now be 0 1 or 11. In the past it has been found that a varying style of calling has been in vogue, and the Committee is most anxious that uniformity should be attained in this matter.

(5) "LOST BIRD" correct ruling— Shooter shooting double-barrel event has a misfire with first barrel and then shoots the second barrel and does not break the target. Shooter claimed a "no target". Referee refused and decision was "Lost Bird". The referee was quite correct in his decision — the shooter lost all equity in another target when he fired the second barrel. Shooters should remember that when they experience a misfire the shooter concerned should immediately hold up his gun above the shoulder (always pointing towards the trap house) and call for the referee. The referee is then required to test the gun by pulling the trigger, and if the gun fails to fire, he gives his decision.

18. A.C.T.A. Rules require that all Commonwealth, State and District Titles, plus any event over \$100 value, must be applied for on the prescribed form. The lodging of an advertisement only, without any application, merely holds up the procedure involving return mails.

19. Due to the volume of work handled by the Secretary, it has been decided that Executive Committee members will adjudicate on shoot queries and procedure.

Would all member clubs and registered shooters please note this and contact their nearest Executive Committee member accordingly, when so required.

20. CLAY TARGET SHOOTING ON SUNDAYS — STATE OF VICTORIA — permission is subject to approval of the Victorian State Government Chief Secretary through the controlling central body. A.C.T.A. will forward, when requested, the appropriate forms for application. Clubs must then at least, one month in advance, submit through A.C.T.A.:

1. standard A.C.T.A. shoot request form showing programme and date(s) concerned;

2. "Sunday shooting" forms (two copies) — [NOTE: Four copies must be completed, of which one is to be lodged with the club's local municipal authority, another with the officer in charge of the Police Station nearest to the gun-club range, thence two copies to A.C.T.A. for submission to the Chief Secretary's office.]

The A.C.T.A. will advise the club of the outcome as soon as it is available. NO firearms may be discharged without this permission in writing, also Sunday shooting of clay targets is permitted between 12 noon and 6 p.m. only.

21. 1968 CHAMPIONSHIP ALLOCATIONS

The following are additions and amendments to those published in 1967 December "News":—

Queensland:

North Queensland D.B. and D.R. — Mount Isa G.C.
North West Q'land D.D. and D.B. Sparrows — Mount Isa G.C.
North West Q'land D.R. — McKinlay G.C.

New South Wales:

N.S.W. State Skeet — Hawkesbury G.C.
N.S.W. State D.R. Sparrows — Pooncarie G.C.

Victoria:

South Mallee D.B. — for Swan Hill, read Hopetoun G.C.

Western Australia:

Metropolitan D.B. — Perth G.C.
Northam D.B. — Northam G.C.
Cherry Tree Pool—Katanning G.C.
Esperance D.B. — Esperance G.C.

22. Open Season for Protected Game Shooting (see Dec. '67 "News") — additional information received since publication:—

(i) Western Australia — Minister for Fisheries and Fauna has accepted the principle that the opening date for the duck shooting season be set on a biological basis rather than a traditional date. Thus the 1968 Duck season **OPENS** —

(a) at 6.00 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 13, in that part of the State which lies within the boundaries of the shires of Harvey, Dardenup, Collie, Donnybrook, Capel, Busselton, Augusta—Margaret River, Nannup, Balinup, Greenbushes, Bridgetown and Manjimup.

(b) at 5.00 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 14, in the remainder of those parts of the State which lie within the boundaries of the S.W. and Eucla Land Divisions, with the exception of those shires in (a) above, or those areas defined as closed under the headings "General" and "Specific" areas in the 1968 special publication.

The 1968 Duck season **CLOSES**, unless otherwise proclaimed, through-

out the whole of the Eucla and S.W. Land Divisions at 7.00 p.m. on April 30.

DO NOT KEEP WILD DUCKS IN CAPTIVITY.

22. (ii) New South Wales — This is the third year that Game Licences (\$2) have been required for wild duck shooting.

Conditions are:—

(a) Ducks taken under game licence cannot be sold.

(b) Licence is not transferrable.

(c) Licence does not authorize taking or killing in any sanctuary or on private property without consent of the owner.

(d) Licence must be available for inspection on demand.

(e) The use of a firearm will be the only legal method of taking ducks.

(f) The taking of ducks from a powered boat on the move and the use of live decoys are both banned.

It is not anticipated that the season will be very successful due to drought conditions prevailing over most of western central and south-western New South Wales. However, New England and North Coast Districts have had favourable conditions during the latter half of 1967 and prospects in these areas are better than for the open season of 1967.

A.C.T.A. BREAK RECORDS

(IN ANY ONE DAY)

		Down-the-line	Skeet
Queensland			
D. SMITH	(1967)	378	—
New South Wales			
K. HEYWOOD	(1966)	501	—
Victoria			
D. KIMBER	(1967)	457	—
Dr. G. CARROLL	(1967)	—	114
Tasmania			
J. BLAKE	(1958)	200	—
P. MARSHALL	(1958)	200	—
South Australia			
R. KIMBER	(1966)	359	—
Western Australia			
T. CATLING	(1967)	253	—
R. BURTON	(1967)	—	55

V A L E

Jack Sutherland

After almost 50 years at the top of world trapshooting in Australia, Italy, France and England (including competitions at Monte Carlo, the home of trapshooting, in the boom days of 1928), Jack Sutherland passed away in Melbourne, early January 1968, after a short illness. He originally came from Calrossie, near Yarram, Victoria, and set an original world record of 128 birds straight in one shoot.

H. E. (Harry) SIM

We regret to advise the passing, in the latter part of 1967, of the above fine sportsman and great stalwart of the Griffith and Tullibigeal Gun Clubs. Aged 72 years, the late Harry Sim leaves a wife, four sons and two daughters, one of whom is the popular Griffith G.C. Secretary, and noted shot, Keith Sim.

To this fine family, deepest sympathy is extended.

1967 INTERSTATE SKEET TEAMS MATCH

Corrected individual results of the 1967 series are as follows:—

(5 shooters per team, each 25 clays = total 125 possibles)

1st VICTORIA.

Shot at Australian Gun Club 2/9/67.

R. Siede	25
I. Porter	24
F. Johnson	24
D. O'Callaghan	23
J. Siede	24
	<hr/> 120/125

2nd TASMANIA.

Shot at Tasmanian Gun Club 8/4/67.

P. Marshall	25
P. Thurley	17
S. Marshall	25
D. Taylor	24
R. Wighton	24
	<hr/> 115/125

3rd QUEENSLAND.

Shot at Ipswich Gun Club 6/8/67.

A. Chesney	22
J. Bradbury	24
C. Culley	23
W. Samootin	20
G. Mawer	24
	<hr/> 113/125

4th NEW SOUTH WALES.

Shot at N.S.W.G.C. 2/9/67.

Weather: Heavy rain, with gusts of gale-force winds.

N. Galland	24
G. West	23
D. Scowcroft	23
R. Payne	21
J. Rawlinson	21
	<hr/> 112/125

5th WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Shot at Kojonup Gun Club 13/11/67.

C. J. Marsh	21
A. R. Anderson	24
N. Wells	24
R. Bailey	23
D. Cumming	21
	<hr/> 113/125

6th SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

No Entry.



Jules Steiner (Captain Perth G.C., West Aust.) shooting skeet at the No. 1 station. He has just shot the high tower bird and the empty shell is visible after automatic ejection. He is now about to shoot the low tower bird.

A.C.T.A. National Championships Shoot — 1968 —

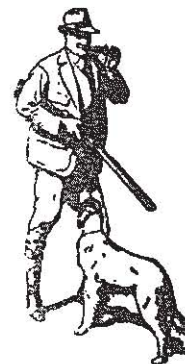
REFEREE PANEL

Referees desirous of having their names included for selection on the Referee Panel for the A.C.T.A. NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS and INTERNATIONAL MATCH for the 1968 series at South Australian Gun Club, Adelaide, South Aust., are requested to inform the A.C.T.A. Secretary, Box 2038 S, G.P.O., Melbourne, 3001, Vic., as soon as possible.

Referees may submit for either individual days or all the days concerned. Preference will be given to those submitting for the full Programme. No Referee may shoot on the day he is refereeing.

Shooting will commence at 8.00 a.m. daily over the five days — SATURDAY, MARCH 9, till WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, inclusive.

"Tips and Tails"



G. Feilen, J. Hite; Armourer, J. Hite; Captain, H. Kennedy.

BOMBALA (N.S.W.) — At 8-11-67 annual general meeting office-bearers elected were: President, A. Feilen; Vice-Pres., D. Twigg, H. Kennedy; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. N. Badewitz; Committee, T. Peaddon, D. Twigg, J. Caldwell, B. Caldwell, D. Badewitz, H. Kennedy; G. Feilen, J. Hite; Armourer, J. Hite; Captain, H. Kennedy.

A practice shoot was held and most successful shooters were K. May, G. Filmer and A. Wright.

A further junior competition will be sponsored during 1968.

H.M.A.S. CERBERUS — Office-bearers elected 24-8-67 general meeting were: President, A. J. Duke; Secretary, D. Churches; Treasurer, T. L. Percival.

WHYALLA (S.A.)—soon to register. Office-bearers are: President: K. K. Paterson; Vice-Pres., B. Killick; Acting Secretary, K. K. Paterson; Treasurer, T. Daws; Committee, M. Appleton, W. Kerr, D. Cook, N. Cook, H. Koderitz.

LAKES END (Qld.) — At 23-7-67 meeting office-bearers appointed for 1967 were: President, R. Porter; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. H. Stevens; Club Capt., G. Mawer; Vice-Pres., J. Farrow, M. Gough.

MARYBOROUGH District Branch of the Victorian Field and Game Association office-bearers as at 15-9-67 were: President, G. A. Geffs; Sec.-Treas., R. J. Branton; Senior Vice-Pres., R. G. Colman; Junior Vice-Pres., B. Rafferty; Public Relations Officer and Auditor, C. Mowbray; Committee, K. Williams, D. Robinson, C. Townsing, C. Branton, H. Doran, V. Costelow.

SOUTH BURNETT (Qld.)—Office-bearers elected 9-11-67 for the ensuing year were: Patron, W. Angel; President, P. Dennis; Vice-Pres., M. Champney; Sec., L. Ivins; Treas., S. Horn; Captain, G. Jessen; Provider, E. Fayle; Groundsman, N. Ivins.

SOUTH YORKE PENINSULA (S.A.)—At annual general meeting 5-11-67 office-bearers elected were: President (re-elected), C. R. Parsons; Secretary, J. C. Edwards; Treasurer, R. A. N. Edwards.

CENTRAL BURNETT (Qld.) — Office-bearers elected 27-11-67 were: Chairman, S. Kentish; Secretary, D. F. Smith; Treasurer, K. Vicary; Committeemen, W. Allbrand, D. Gull, R. Hart.

GOROKE (V.) — At 27-11-67 annual meeting, office-bearers elected were: President, D. Bull; Vice-Pres., C. Watkins; Secretary, R. Batson; Treasurer, H. I. Batson.

NORTHAM (W.A.) will be in recess until March, 1968.

HERBERT RIVER (Qld.) — Secretary now is J. N. Dossetto.

HAY (N.S.W.)—At annual general meeting held 24-11-67 office-bearers elected for 1967 were H. F. Cox, President, and G. Williams, Secretary.

COOMA (N.S.W.) may soon be formed to shoot first Saturdays monthly, as local arrangements currently are Berridale, Bombala, Queanbeyan on the second, third and fourth Saturdays.

BARCALDINE (Q.) — At 24-11-67 annual general meeting office-bearers elected were: Patron, J. D. Bennett;

President, R. H. Moyse; Vice-Pres., O. J. Walker, Ian Brown; Committee, C. H. Ellem, A. J. W. Taylor; E. J. Ellem, W. Chandler, J. A. Rodgers; Hon. Secretary, Mrs. W. Lewis; Hon. Treasurer, to be elected from next committee meeting.

MOUNT ISA (Qld.)—At inaugural meeting 19-9-67 to re-form this club, office-bearers elected were: President, C. J. Willis; Vice-Pres., T. Welling-ton; Treasurer, K. J. Green; Captain, C. A. Selke; Purchasing Officer, G. Buerchler; Ass. Sec., Mrs. G. Buerchler; Secretary, H. T. Linton; Patron, Sir G. R. Fisher; Vice-Patron, J. W. Foots.

Monthly shoots are scheduled to be held at Kalkadoon Park, where concrete tracks and a steel traphouse with a snipe automatic trap have been installed. A shelter has been erected for the scorer and puller.

Water is laid to the site. Visitors are welcome.

LISMORE (N.S.W.) at annual meeting elected as office-bearers: President, D. S. Powell; Vice-Pres., W. Anderson; Hon. Sec.-Treas., D. S. Worrall; Captain, Roy Shepherd; Armourer, Fred Hoskins. Lights for night shooting may be installed early 1968. Club shoots fourth Sunday monthly.

AUSTRALIAN (V.)—On 11-11-67 W. Delaney established a Victorian State Skeet record of 110 straight. On November 25 Dr. Graham Carroll exceeded this with 114/114 against R. Fallshaw (104/105) and others.

BALLANDEAN (Qld.) are in temporary recess until March, 1968, owing to local industrial demands on members of the fruit-picking season.



PERTH GUN CLUB TEAM when shooting a "friendship day" team shoot with Azzurri Gun Club (West Aust.). Left to right—Jules Steiner, Robin Bailey, Keith Barker, Graham Larsen and Wally Johns.

CLUB ADVERTISING SUMMARY

The 1968 National Trapshooting Championships and Twenty-second International Teams' Match are scheduled for March 9 to 13 inclusive at the South Australian Gun Club, near the thirteen-mile post on the Port Wakefield Road, out of Adelaide, South Australia. Despite the drought conditions throughout Australia over the past few years, record attendances have been established at both the 1966 and 1967 tournaments and our visiting New Zealand contingent grows accordingly. Reports are that 1968 in Adelaide shall see a further strong attendance of top-line shotgun shooters who renew shooting friendships annually at the National Titles. Accommodation and transport advisers are as advertised. Meals shall be available from 7.00 a.m. daily over the five successive days of the shoot.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN G.C. (S.A.) will conduct as an eye-opener to the 1968 National Championships a two-day shoot over March 7-8 to include the Festival of Arts D.B. Championship, a \$350 Handicap, followed at 7.30 p.m. Thursday by the **SOUTH AUSTRALIAN STATE NIGHT DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP**, with the **STATE INTERMEDIATE D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP** in conjunction. From 9.00 a.m. on the Friday will be the Festival of Arts S.B. Championship, followed by a Pre-International \$100 Trophy shoot off 16 yards. All shooting shall cease and the grounds and facilities cleared by 5.00 p.m. Friday, March 8, for inspection and acceptance by A.C.T.A. officials.

TIMARU G.C. (New Zealand) are the host club to the 1968 New Zealand National Trapshooting Championships scheduled for March 30 to April 6 inclusive. Australian shooters are assured of a most satisfying period just this few hours' flying time away. There is now no currency exchange loss, as \$ Australian = \$ New Zealand.

Saturday, March 30, will see a five-event programme. Sunday, 31st, from 9.00 a.m., will be a 30-target, off open marks event for the Grand Motor-car Trophy Shoot. Monday, April 1, will see the N.Z. Skeet Championship; Tuesday, 2nd, will cover the two events **NEW ZEALAND SPARROW CHAMPIONSHIP** and the **NEW ZEALAND DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP**; Wednesday, 3rd, for the **NEW ZEALAND SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP**; Thursday, 4th, the **NEW ZEALAND SINGLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP**; Friday-Saturday, April 5-6, will be for the qualifying match and thence the **NEW ZEALAND** section of the **TWENTY-SECOND INTERNATIONAL TEAMS' MATCH**.

AUSTRALIAN (V.) list their shoots for Saturday, February 3, March 2 and 11 to include club and district D.T.L. and skeet championships, but no shooting February 17 (Duck Opening).

CROYDON (V.) on Saturday, February 10, will conduct their shoot on the Lilydale G.C. grounds to include a \$500 D.B. Trophy Handicap, the City of Ringwood D.B. Championship, and the Yarra Valley S.B. Championship.

Wednesday, February 14, at 7.30 p.m., will be the District D.B. Night Championship; Saturday, February 24, and Wednesday, February 28, for club day and night championships.

GUYRA (N.S.W.), over the two days February 24-25, will conduct the NEW SOUTH WALES STATE TEAMS' SHOOT in addition to Handicaps of \$200 and \$500, thence the New England S.B. Championship.

HAY (N.S.W.), over Easter, April 13, 14, 15, will conduct a \$200 Handicap, a D.B. Championship, a night \$1,000 Handicap, the Easter Gift "Les McKinney Memorial" shoot, thence the District S.B. Championship. A further annual highlight shall be the free barbecue Sunday luncheon for shooters and their families at "Budgewah" Station, some eight miles out. A free social and dance, to which people come from near and far, will be conducted that night.

KERANG (V.) over February 17 and 19 will conduct their Duck Opening D.B. (Night) Championship and a \$400 Trophy Handicap.

LILYDALE (V.) list their club and district championships for February 3, 17, and March 2.

N.S.W.G.C. (N.S.W.) list February 3 and March 30 as shoot days to include the District D.B. Championship. On Saturday, February 17, will be the NEW SOUTH WALES STATE SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP and the Club 89th Anniversary Handicap shoot.

PUCKAPUNYAL (V.) will conduct their Club D.B. Championship on Sunday, February 25.

ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.) will shoot on February 11 and 25.

SHEPPARTON (V.) on March 2 will conduct the Goulburn Valley D.B. Championship and the Damian Doncan Memorial Trophy event.

TOOWOOMBA (Qld.) will conduct a two-day shoot over March 30-31 to include the District S.B. and D.B. Championships. On February 11 will be the District D.R. Championship.

VICTORIAN (V.), with no shooting Saturday, February 17 (they will be away looking for ducks), will conduct district championship and other events on Saturday, February 3, March 2, and Wednesday nights February 7, 21 and 28.

WARRNAMBOOL (V.) list their complete 1968 programme of District championships and Handicap events over February 10, March 9, April 13, May 11, June 8, July 13, August 10, September 14, November 9, December 14, with the COMMONWEALTH DOUBLE-RISE (NIGHT) SPARROW CHAMPIONSHIP on October 12.

WERRIBEE (V.) will conduct (preparatory to the Duck season opening) the District Tower Championship on February 10.

WESTERN SUBURBS (V.) list their shoot dates of February 3, 10, 17, 24, with weekly night shoots commencing February 5.

A.C.T.A.

CLAY TARGET (D.T.L.) SHOOTING RULES

Applicable from 1st January, 1968

COMPETITION.

Rule No. 1.—Wheresoever the word "competition" may be used in the following rules, it is to be understood to refer to each particular event, and must at all times be so construed by the management, in whose charge the carrying out of such "competition" has been entrusted.

THE MANAGEMENT.

Rule No. 2.—The management of any club holding a tournament, or other competition, under these rules has the authority to reject any entry in the said tournament, or other competition, without giving any reason therefore, and to disqualify in whole or in part, any competitor who acts in an ungentlemanly or disorderly manner, or who handles his gun dangerously.

COMPETITOR.

Rule No. 3.—A competitor is one who has nominated for the particular event and whose name appears on the official score sheets or score board. A competitor can only compete once in each event. Each competitor shall carry his Handicap and Registration Card at all shoots.

Rule No. 4.—A competitor must be at the firing point within two minutes after having been called by the official referee, scorer or a member of the club management. Failing therein, he may be disqualified or be penalised with loss of targets.

Rule No. 5.—A competitor shall hold his gun in a position of safety, with breech open at all times.

Rule No. 6.—When at the firing point ready for competition, the competitor shall distinctly give the command, "Pull", to the puller, and thereafter the competitor is in the competition.

Rule No. 7.—When firing, the competitor's feet must be behind the firing mark assigned to him, and he must stand with both feet within eighteen (18) inches on either side of the centre of this mark. Should the competitor fail to observe the above rule, a "lost target" will be declared.

Rule No. 8.—Shooting on the grounds at any place other than the firing point at legitimate targets only is prohibited except where a pattern plate is installed.

Rule No. 9.—No competitor shall make, negotiate or discuss any bet (either on his own shooting or that of any other competitor) while he is at the firing point or shooting tracks, nor shall he leave the firing point or shooting tracks for the purpose of making, negotiating or discussing any bet. If any competitor infringes this rule, he may be disqualified by the referee.

Rule No. 10.—When it is his turn to shoot, a competitor shall close his gun only when at the firing point and facing the traps. He must remove the cartridge or cartridges from his gun before turning from the firing point on No. 5 track and proceeding to No. 1 track. The cartridge or cartridges must be removed from any magazine gun between each track.

Rule No. 11.—It shall be the responsibility of the competitor to check his score with the score sheet before leaving the shooting track. Any protest on his score must be lodged with the referee immediately, i.e. before leaving the shooting track. Such protest can only be made against incorrect score.

Rule No. 12.—All such protests must be confirmed in writing within 15 minutes, accompanied by \$2 forfeit.

Rule No. 13. — A competitor is duly notified to compete when his name is called out by a referee, scorer or other person authorised to do so by the management, or when his name appears on the score board. If a "squad hustler" is furnished, it is a matter of courtesy only, and does not in the least relieve the competitor from responsibility. It is the duty of each and every competitor to be promptly on hand to compete when called upon to do so.

THE REFEREE.

Rule No. 14. — The Referee's decision in all cases coming under his jurisdiction as set forth in these rules, shall be final. Referees must wear their official badges at all shoots.

Rule No. 15. — The Referee, besides attending to special duties set forth in these rules, shall adjudicate the competition, he shall distinctly and loudly announce the result of each shot by calling out "Kill" when the target is broken, and "Lost" when the target is unbroken, except in Double Rise shooting and point scoring. He shall decide all other issues which arise in relation to the direct competition.

Rule No. 16. — If the Referee is negligent or inefficient, impairing thereby the equity of the competition, the management may forthwith remove him. This rule applies also to scorers, pullers, trappers and any other of the staff.

Rule No. 17. — The Referee is empowered to challenge the ammunition used by any competitor.

Rule No. 18. — The Referee shall insist that no competitor is permitted to shoot from other than his A.C.T.A. handicap mark, except in Eye-openers preceding a Championship, which shall be shot from the same yardage as the Championship. These eye-openers are restricted to 5 targets per shooter, per trap, or 10 targets when only one trap is used. All clubs are permitted to run one Pre-International shoot per annum, when the clubs at their discretion may shoot any event from 16 yards, providing such shoot is held no more than 30 days prior to the advertised date of the International. Prizes, cash or trophies not to exceed \$100 on any one event.

Rule No. 19. — The Referee has power to alter his decision.

Rule No. 20. — All members of a squad shall automatically change lanes as soon as the next shooter has shot, and not wait until all shooters have shot. All members of a squad shall remain at the firing track until the last shot of the squad is fired.

THE SCORER.

Rule No. 21. — The Scorer shall keep an accurate record of each shot. Accordingly, the Referee call "Kill", or "Lost". He shall mark the figure 1 for "Kill" and 0 for "Lost".

Rule No. 22. — The Puller shall pull the trap, or traps, instantly in response to the competitor's call of "Pull".

Rule No. 23. — The Puller shall have an unobstructed view of the competitors at the firing points.

BROKEN TARGET.

Rule No. 24. — A "broken target" (kill) is one which has at least a visible piece or pieces, or the centre section, broken from it, or which is completely reduced to dust, or which has a visible section broken from it, even though such section is broken into dust by the competitor's shot while in the air.

Rule No. 25. — A "dusted target" is one from which more or less dust is detached by the competitor's shot, but which shows no visible diminution in size therefrom. A dusted target is not a broken target, and is a "Lost" target.

Rule No. 26. — The score of a competitor in double target shooting shall be shown as one (1) point for each "kill" as broken by the competitor's shot. Two barrels must not be fired at one target.

BAULK.

Rule No. 27. — Any extraneous occurrence which, in the opinion of the Referee, materially interferes with the equity of the competitor after he calls, "Pull", constitutes a baulk. Under no circumstances will a baulk be granted unless claimed by the competitor immediately it occurs. Only the competitor directly interested can claim a baulk, which, if allowed by the referee, restores him another target.

Rule No. 28. — In double-barrel shooting, jarring back denotes that from the concussion of the first shot the safety has been slipped back to "safe". Whatever may be the cause of slipping the safety back to "safe", the competitor must abide by the result.

Rule No. 29. — Simultaneous discharge is one wherein, from any cause, both barrels are discharged together or nearly together, and shall be declared "No target".

NO TARGET.

Rule No. 30. — After a referee declares a "no target" it is thereafter no part of the competition, and is irrelevant to it.

Rule No. 31. — "No target" shall be declared when a trap is sprung at a material interval of time before or after the call of "Pull".

Rule No. 32. — "No target" shall be declared when the trap is sprung without the call of "Pull".

Rule No. 33. — "No target" shall be declared when, in single-target shooting, two targets are thrown at the same time.

Rule No. 34. — "No target" shall be declared when the target is thrown at a widely different angle (see diagram).

Rule No. 35. — "No target" shall be declared when a competitor shoots out of turn, or from the wrong track.

Rule No. 36. — "No target" shall be declared when two competitors, or when a competitor and a non-competitor, shoot at the same target.

Rule No. 37. — "No target" shall be declared when there is a misfire, in either barrel, caused by the competitor's gun, or a misfire of the cartridge, due to no neglect on the shooter's part.

Rule No. 38. — In the event of a misfire with the second barrel, the competitor must fire a live cartridge in the general direction of the target, and is permitted to score with the second barrel only.

Rule No. 39. — "No target" shall be declared (whether shot at or not) when a broken target is thrown.

LOST TARGET.

Rule No. 40. — "Lost target" shall be declared when the competitor fails to break the target.

Rule No. 41. — "Lost target" shall be declared when the competitor fails to shoot because his gun was unloaded or uncocked, or because the safety was faultily adjusted or jarred back, whether from his own oversight or not, or because of any other cause chargeable to his own oversight or neglect.

Rule No. 42. — A competitor having a misfire or apparent misfire, will, forthwith call the referee for his decision, otherwise the referee shall declare it a "lost" target. The competitor must not turn around, must not open his gun, and must keep his gun pointing in the direction of the traps.

Rule No. 43. — "Lost target" shall be declared if a cartridge after it has once misfired in the competition, or a gun after it has twice misfired in the competition, is used by the competitor.

Rule No. 44. — "Lost target" shall be declared if in single-barrel shooting the competitor loads two cartridges. (A competitor is only allowed to load one cartridge and is not permitted to load an empty shell or dummy cartridge.)

Rule No. 45. — "Lost target" shall be declared if a competitor shoots from his wrong handicap mark.

CHALLENGE AND PROTEST.

Rule No. 46. — A competitor may challenge the load of any other competitor, such load shall not be greater than one and one-quarter ounce weight of shot struck measures nor larger in size than No. 6. On receipt of a written challenge, with \$2 forfeit, the management shall obtain a cartridge from the challengee, and if, after public examination of it, the management finds the challengee has violated the above requirements, he may be disqualified or not, accordingly as the offence was wilfully committed or otherwise. In case the challengee is wholly innocent, the forfeit shall be paid to him, otherwise it shall be returned to the challenger. The management of any club, or of any tournament, has the

power to examine any competitor's cartridges at their discretion, without involving themselves in any penalty.

OFFICIAL SCORE.

Rule No. 47. — The official score must be kept on a score sheet and be available for inspection by the competitor.

Rule No. 48. — Every competitor in a squad shall be permitted to examine his score sheet before the score sheet is sent to the Secretary's Office. The individual scores shall be totalled before being placed on the score boards.

WIDELY DIFFERENT ANGLE.

Rule No. 49. — When a target is thrown either way outside the prescribed limit of the angles, height and distance in single target shooting, it shall be deemed to be thrown at a widely different angle and "No target" shall be declared.

MAGAZINE GUN.

Rule No. 50. — The term "magazine gun" applies alike to automatic guns, pump guns (so called) and other guns not directly dependent on hand loading and are permissible for clay target shooting.

SHOOTING FOR TARGETS ONLY.

Rule No. 51. — Shooting for targets only, is a term which shall be held to define the status of a competitor in any given event, or events, or in an entire tournament programme, and shall signify that a competitor who is "shooting for targets only" has no interest in any trophy, or trophies (unless he is entitled to do so by a specific announcement in the programme), nor any interest in any money, or moneys, the division of which depends on the scores made in said event, or events, or in the entire programme. "Shooting for targets only" shall not be allowed at open shoots or by any shooter who has attained the mark of 14 yards.

GUNS AND LOADS.

Rule No. 52. — A competitor shall not use a gun whose bore is LARGER than a twelve gauge.

Rule No. 53. — A competitor shall not use a load of shot greater than one and one-quarter ounce weight,

struck measure, nor may a larger size of shot than No. 6 be used.

TARGETS, TRAPS, FLIGHTS, AND ANGLES, PITS AND SCREENS, FIRING POINTS.

Rule No. 54. — No target shall measure more than four and five-sixteenths ($4\frac{5}{16}$) inches in diameter, nor more than one and one-eighth ($1\frac{1}{8}$) inches in height.

Rule No. 55. — An automatic trap must be used at all open shoots.

SERGEANT SYSTEM.

Rule No. 56. — Five single traps, four feet apart, constitute the Sergeant System. The targets are thrown from unknown traps, at unknown angles. Maximum throw of traps to be 55 yards, minimum 30 yards. Limit mark to be 16 yards. Shoot from centre track.

FLIGHTS AND ANGLES.

Rule No. 57. — Targets, whether singles or doubles, shall be thrown not less than 45 yards nor more than 55 yards, with a flight of 9 feet high at a point 10 yards from the trap, with a margin of tolerance of not more than 18 inches, above or below. Except in double target shooting, the flight of targets shall be at unknown angles, thrown within an area of 45 degrees right and left of an imaginary straight line drawn through the centre of number three firing point and prolonged through the centre of the central trap, or through the centre of the single trap when only one trap is used.

Rule No. 58. — To arrive at the proper height at which targets should be thrown as set forth in Rule 58, due allowance should be made according as the ground in front of the trap rises or falls away, and the flight of the targets 9 feet high at a point 10 yards from the trap is judged to be from an imaginary horizontal straight line drawn through No. 3 firing point through the single trap, or through the centre trap if the Sergeant System be used, and prolonged indefinitely.

Rule No. 59. — In single target shooting, to aid in distinguishing between target within and without bounds, two stakes (see Diagram II) not less than 3 feet in height shall be placed in the arc of a circle whose

radii are 50 yards and whose centre is the centre of the single trap, or the centre of the central trap when three are used. Respectively, right and left at 45 degrees of the aforementioned imaginary straight line, two stakes shall be placed upright (see Diagram II).

PITS AND SCREENS.

Rule No. 60. — Trap houses shall be used to give full protection to the trappers. These houses shall be 3' 3" high in front, tapering or sloping to 2' 9" at the back, and shall be 6' 0" from front to back, 8' 0" wide. A

tolerance of 3" either way is permissible on these dimensions. All height measurements shall be taken from the level of the centre lane. The trap shall be mounted in a manner which will bring the top centre oscillation of the throwing arm 14" above the level of the centre lane. A tolerance of 1" either side of this dimension is permissible.

FIRING POINTS.

Rule No. 61. — Firing points shall be three yards apart in the circumference of a circle whose radii are 16 yards (see Diagram I).

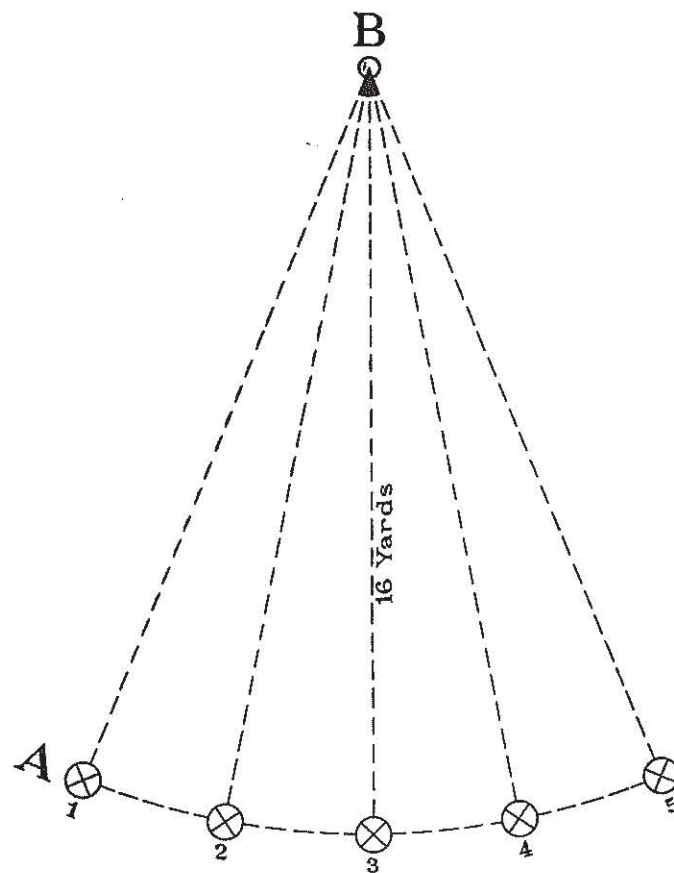


DIAGRAM I. STANDARD FIRING POINT LAYOUT.

This shows the standard layout for the Automatic Angle Trap. The trap is located at point B and directly behind it at a distance of 16 yards

is firing point No. 3. Points 1, 2, 4 and 5 are also 16 yards from the trap, whilst the distance between adjacent points is 3 yards.

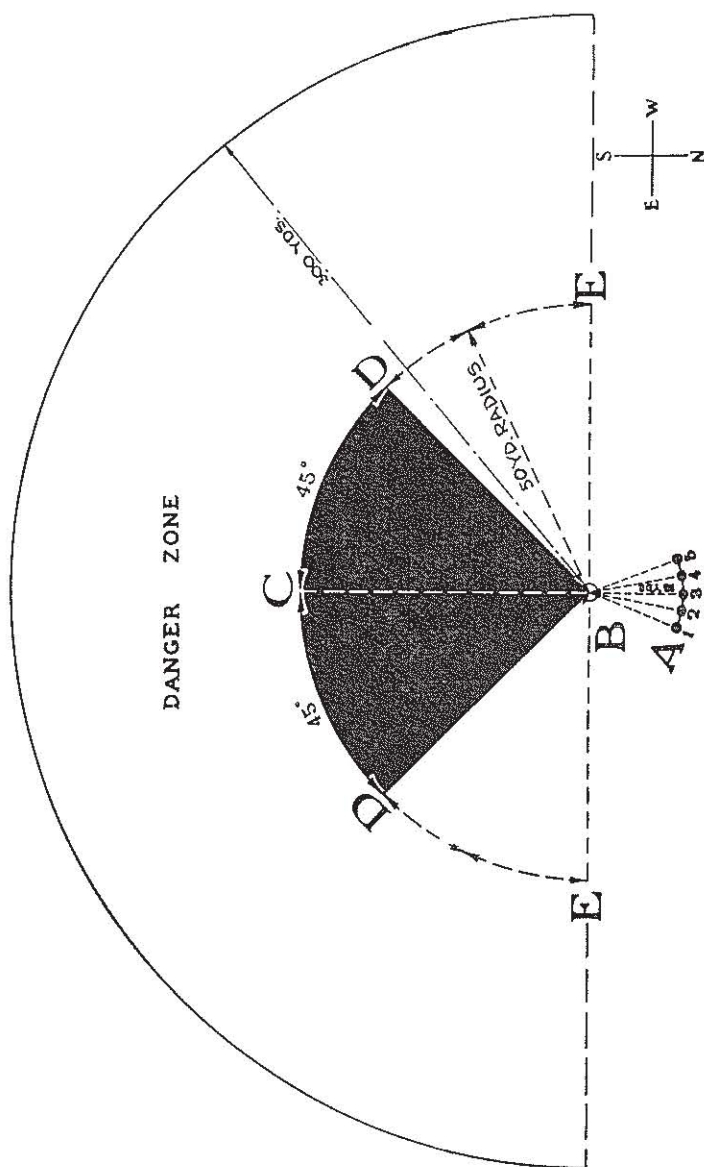


DIAGRAM II. SINGLE TARGET SHOOTING.

This shows the ground plan for a normal clay target layout and shows the area covered by the varying flight angles for single bird shooting.

- A. Firing points as in Diagram I.
- B. The trap.

C. A point 50 yards directly in front of the trap.

D. Stakes placed as markers.

DCDB. This shaded portion shows the area within which the targets must be thrown.

DISTANCE HANDICAPS.

Rule No. 62. — The distance handicaps, when used, shall be on prolongations of the lines given in Diagram I, commonly known as "fanshaped". The distance between the firing points, 16 yards, shall then be three yards (see Diagram III).

SQUADS.

Rule No. 63. — Competitors shall shoot in squads of five or six, except when there are less than five competitors available for the last squad of any programme event, or when there are withdrawals from a squad or squads after the competition has begun.

DOUBLE TARGETS.

Rule No. 64. — In double-target shooting, there shall be squads of

five or six shooters at 16 yards. Double-rise shooting may be off handicap marks or such marks as the club may decide, except in the case of championships, and shall be scored and called by the Referee, 1-1 or 0-1 or 1-0 or 0-0, whichever the case may be, each target to count as one point. In the event of a tie, to be shot off squad system first miss-out, best of each pair until finality.

Rule No. 65. — Each double shall be thrown as a right and left quarterer whose flights shall be limited to the angles D.D.B. (Diagram IV) right and left of an imaginary straight line drawn through the centre of No. 3 track, as shown at C. on Diagram IV. To aid in distinguishing whether targets are within bounds, four stakes 3' 0" high shall be placed in a circle

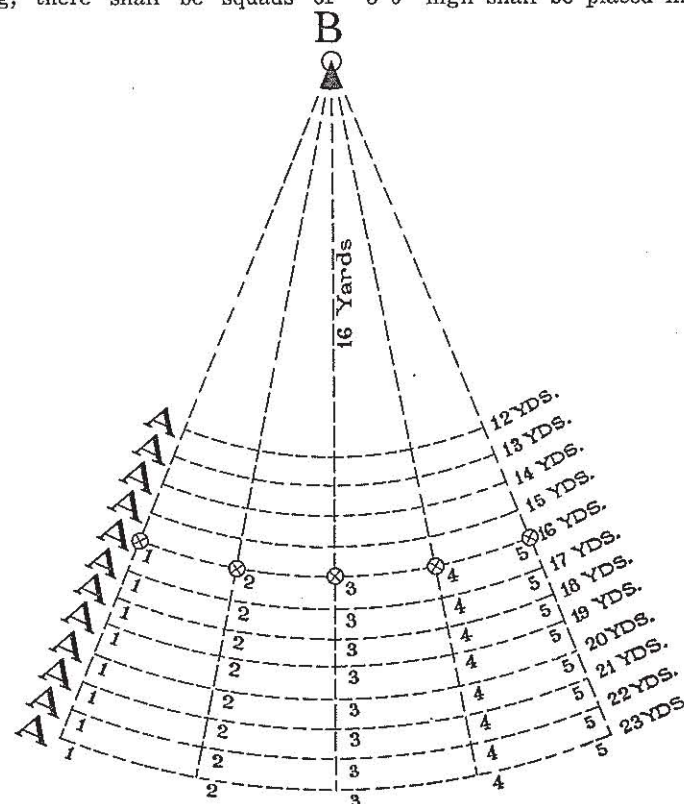


DIAGRAM III. DISTANCE HANDICAPS.

This shows the layout of the "fanshaped" tracks used for distance handicap shooting. The 16-yard marks are 3 yards apart as in Diagram I, whilst the other marks are at one yard intervals along the tracks.

whose radius shall be 50 yards, the centre of the trap shall be the centre from which the radius shall be struck. Two stakes shall be placed upright at 20° either side of the centre line C, and two stakes shall be placed upright at 45° either side of the centre line at C (Diagram IV). All stakes shall be placed in the said 50-yard radius arc.

The shooter must shoot at a complete pair of targets on every occasion, each kill shall score one (1) point.

When there is a misfire in either barrel or when there is a mal-function so that either shot is not fired, the Referee shall declare "no targets"; in the event of a misfire or mal-function on the first barrel, the Referee shall declare "no targets" and another pair shall be thrown. In the event of a misfire or mal-function on the second barrel, the Referee shall declare "no targets"; the result of the first shot shall be scored "Kill" or "Lost" as the case may be, and

another pair of targets thrown; the shooter must shoot at both targets and the result of his second shot shall be added to the score.

Rule No. 66.—"No target" shall be declared when only one target is thrown.

Rule No. 67.—"No target" shall be declared when both targets are broken by one shot.

Rule No. 68.—"No target" shall be declared when one target is a broken target or both targets are broken targets when thrown from the trap or traps.

Rule No. 69.—"No target" shall be declared when both barrels of the competitor's gun are discharged simultaneously, or near simultaneously.

Rule No. 70.—"No target" shall be declared when one target follows the other after a material interval of time, instead of the two targets taking flight simultaneously.

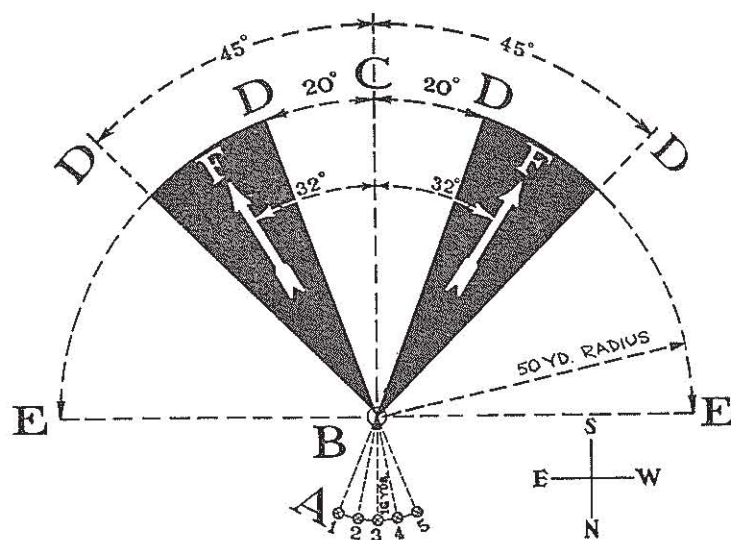


DIAGRAM IV. DOUBLE TARGETS.

- A. Firing points as in Diagram I.
- B. The trap.
- C. A point 50 yards directly in front of the trap.
- D. Stakes placed as boundary markers.

- DDB. Shaded sections within which the targets shall be thrown.
- F. Arrows showing the most desirable lines of flight for the targets.

Rule No. 71.—"No targets" shall be declared when one target or both targets are thrown at a wider or narrower angle or angles or higher or lower than is set forth in Rule No. 65.

Rule No. 72.—Competitors shall be in squads of 5 or 6 shooters, No. 1 shooter in each squad shall always start the shooting. The club, at its discretion, may require shooters to change starting lanes on each trap as follows: No. 1 shooter shall commence shooting from Lane No. 1 on Trap No. 1, Lane No. 2 on Trap No. 2, Lane No. 3 on Trap No. 3, and so forth over all the traps. Preserving the continuity of lane changing on each visit to the traps. This Rule shall also apply to double-rise.

TIES.

Rule No. 73.—All ties, except walk-up, mixed, birds and Deauville Doubles, shall be shot off squad system, first miss-out, all shooters to commence on the same trap (except in the case of a major breakdown of the said trap), shooters shall be squadded in the order in which they qualified, shooters shall close up after each five targets per shooter, and shall be re-squadded at the commencement of each run over the trap or traps.

UNFINISHED COMPETITION.

Rule No. 74.—Should darkness, bad weather, or other cause, interfere with the competition, the management shall have the right to decide how and when the competition shall be continued, provided that it is not postponed longer than 14 days. Any competitor who defaults in respect of such postponed competition forfeits all his rights and standing therein.

OFFICIAL DECISIONS.

Rule No. 75.—Every person entering competitions agrees to accept all official decisions, and to abide by the rules controlling the competition.

ALTERATION TO TRAP.

Rule No. 76.—Any member of the Executive Committee of the Association, any official Referee Examiner or official Referee attending any shoot under A.C.T.A. Rules shall have authority to adjust any trap immediately should it not be throw-

ing regulation targets. Immediately any such alteration has been made, a target to be thrown and the competition to continue.

STANDARD EQUIPMENT.

Rule No. 77.—Concrete blocks and measuring sticks for measuring height of targets are required to be standard equipment for all clubs. A peg at least 2 feet high is required to be placed, dead centre in front of trap at 50 yards, as an aid to determining distance targets are being thrown.

HANDICAPS.

Rule No. 78.—Club handicaps must be not less than Association Handicaps.

SWEEPSTAKE DEDUCTIONS.

Rule No. 79.—Permissible deduction from sweepstakes by clubs, in club contests, shall be not more than 50 per cent. (inclusive of targets).

Rule No. 80.—No deduction is permitted by clubs in optional sweepstakes.

OWNERSHIP OF UNBROKEN CLAY TARGETS.

Rule No. 81.—All clay targets—broken or otherwise—at all times remain the property of the club and not the shooter. The shooter only pays for the privilege of shooting.

SHOOTING AT PIECES.

Rule No. 82.—Unless, in the opinion of the referee, it is contrary to the equity of the competition, a competitor taking part in a competition may shoot at the pieces of HIS OWN TARGET, if he so wishes.

SHOOTER'S ENTITLEMENT.

Rule No. 83.—If a shooter withdraws or is disqualified from a competition, he forfeits all rights to resume. When a competitor has withdrawn, during any part of a competition, the tracks to be at once closed up.

SHOOTING UP.

Rule No. 84.—"Shooting up" after the first round of a competition is not permitted in any circumstances, except in the instance of shooters taking part in the annual International Match.

REGISTRATION OF SHOOTERS.

Rule No. 85.—All shooters must be registered by the A.C.T.A. before taking part in competition. Un-registered shooters are not permitted to compete at any time.

SHOOTING IN FRONT OF HANDICAP.

Rule No. 86.—No shooting is permitted in front of Association handicap in any handicap events.

HEIGHT OF TARGETS.

Rule No. 87.—Targets in all competitions to be thrown at a height of 9 feet 10 yards from the trap, with a margin tolerance of not more than 18 inches, either way.

TIE SHOTS IN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Rule No. 88.—All tie shoots in Commonwealth, State and District Championships shall be shot squad system—first miss-out except walk-up, mixed birds and Deauville Doubles.

SHOOTING NAMES.

Rule No. 89.—Competitors must at all times use their correct names when entering a competition. Shooting non-de-plumes are not permitted.

"PISTOL GRIP" STYLE SHOOTING.

Rule No. 90.—Holding the gun "pistol" fashion, using one hand only, is barred. Any shooter acting in this way is to be warned against continuance—if continued, the shooter to be disqualified from competition forthwith and the matter reported to the Executive Committee. (Penalty, fine \$10).

BREAK RECOGNITION.

Rule No. 91.—The A.C.T.A. will recognise breaks in sequences of 50, 75, 100, 150, 200 and 250, and so on, providing same are shot over an automatic trap under double or single-barrel conditions and in regular competition on one day only, excepting the case where a club is conducting a programme extending over two or more successive days. No practice between events is permitted and breaks must be continuous. To shoot in other than double or single-barrel events immediately concludes the break. Actual score sheets, clearly marked, showing where break occurred, must be produced to the A.C.T.A. before recognition can be granted. Break

badges, once they have been obtained, will not be repeated.

ASSOCIATE REFEREE.

Rule No. 92.—An assistant referee, for Deauville Doubles and double-rise competition, is permitted. The Chief Referee to give his decision following the call of the assistant referee.

CASH DISTRIBUTION.

Rule No. 93.—In all cash distribution, handicaps or sweepstakes, the distribution shall be on the basis of 60% (1st), 30% (2nd) and 10% (3rd). A competitor scoring the only possible in an event wins only 60%, first place.

DEAUVILLE DOUBLES.

Rule No. 94.—Deauville Doubles shall be shot with four shooters on the ground at one time, the first pair using tracks 1 and 5 and the second pair using tracks 2 and 4. After shooting first round of 5 pairs, shooters then change tracks, first pair taking tracks 2 and 4 and second pair taking tracks 1 and 5. Tie shoots shall be conducted first miss-out from tracks 2 and 4, one team at a time. The competitors may arrange between themselves which track they will take, and who will call for the release of the clay targets, which will be released on the call of pull. In the event of a false call by either competitor they must abide by the result. Only pairs will count, and as one point. Either shooter can help his partner after he has broken his own clay target.

Rule No. 95.—Any misfire or mechanical failure in Deauville Doubles does not entitle the shooters to another pair of targets and they must abide by the result.

WALK-UP.

Rule No. 96.—Walk-up events shall be shot double barrel from No. 3 track, squad system. The competitor shall load his gun at the 22-yard mark; when ready in this position he commences to walk at a normal walking pace, holding his gun in any position of safety. The puller will release the target between the 20-yard and 15-yard marks inclusive, the mark being unknown to the com-

petitor, having been previously determined by an indicator or dice. No. 1 shooter shoots at one target, he then returns to the rear of the squad, each shooter doing the same in turn.

Rule No. 97.—Walk-up. A loaded gun shall be deemed to be in a position of safety when it is the shooter's turn to shoot and he faces and points the gun in the general direction of the trap house, having the gun either mounted on the shoulder or in the gun-down position.

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS AND OPEN COMPETITIONS.

Rule No. 98.—Open Championships, that is Commonwealth, State and District Championships, and open competitions (cases where more than \$100 is allotted for distribution in any one event), must have the approval of the A.C.T.A. before being advertised or conducted. (This Rule applies both to the actual event and the proposed date of holding.)

STANDARD SHELLS FOR ALL CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Rule No. 99.—Shells used in all open championships (Commonwealth, State and District) are restricted to 1½ oz. of shot, struck measure, or equivalent, No. 6 size or lighter. Shells marked by a reputable manufacturer as complying with this regulation are approved. Home-loaded or re-loaded cartridges may be used in all events excepting International championships and events, National championships and Interstate matches and events.

Rule No. 100.—Clubs running any event have the right to divide the number of targets by the number of traps available, shooting 6, 7 or 8 targets per visit per trap. Illustration: 15 targets, two traps, one visit. No. 1 shooter shoots 8 targets on Trap No. 1, finishing on Lane No. 3. No. 1, shooter now starts on Lane No. 4 on Trap No. 2, and shoots 7 targets, finishing on Lane No. 5. Illustration No. 2: 30 targets, 5 traps, 6 targets per trap, one visit. Clubs must preserve equality by lane changing between traps.

REGISTERED REFEREES.

Rule No. 101.—To become a registered referee, a candidate shall approach his club Secretary and President, who (when they consider the

candidate has achieved a satisfactory standard) shall recommend to the nearest REGISTERED REFEREE EXAMINER that the candidate be given a practical and oral examination.

When the candidate has passed this examination to the Examiner's entire satisfaction, the Examiner will then notify the A.C.T.A. Secretary, who will issue the official A.C.T.A. Referee Badge to the candidate and place his name on the official list of referees.

On receipt of a complaint from any AFFILIATED CLUB or REGISTERED REFEREE EXAMINER, the A.C.T.A. Secretary shall immediately recall the referee's badge and remove from the list of referees the name of any registered referee who refuses to take his turn at refereeing at any shoot or is considered in any way to be incompetent.

TOWER.

Rule No. 102.—Commonwealth, State and District Championships, both day and night, shall be shot over 20 targets double barrel, both barrels equal value, 5 to 10 targets per shooter per visit to the tracks, squad system, shooters in a straight line left to right, with centre (No. 3) shooter standing 5 feet in front of the centre of the tower. Whilst at the firing point the shooter must not turn towards the tower, but must face directly to the front throughout the competition.

The trap shall be 35'0" above the ground, plus or minus 30" either way, mounted on a tower. Targets shall be thrown at standard angles, i.e. 45° either side of the centre line. Targets shall be thrown a minimum 45 yards and maximum 55 yards.

HIGH GUN.

Rule No. 103.—The High Gun for a shoot shall be over the advertised programme or such events as the club, at its discretion, has advertised. In the event of a tie for High Gun, where such programme includes both championship and handicap events, it shall be shot off double-barrel irrespective of the type of championship and/or handicap events within the programme and shall be shot off squad system, first miss-out, from handicap marks—International Teams and State Teams High Gun excepted.

CHAMPIONSHIP CONDITIONS

Applicable from 1st January, 1968

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

INTERNATIONAL TEAMS MATCH

Team 30 members, 25 highest scores to count. 100 targets per member from 16 yards. Double-barrel points scoring 3 and 2. 5 track squad system, 25 targets per trap over 4 traps, 5 targets from each track per member before changing tracks. In the event of a tie for High Gun, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. International load shells, 1½ oz. shot, No. 6 size or lighter, electric oscillating traps.

QUALIFICATIONS

Each team member shall be an Australian citizen of at least 12 months standing. In the event of a member being unable to take his place in the team, his place will be filled by another shooter, agreed upon by the Executive Committee.

The 30 highest scores in the National Double Barrel of 50 targets; National Single Barrel of 50 targets, and the Australian and New Zealand Championships of 50 targets, all points scoring 3 and 2, shall automatically become Australia's International Team. In the event of a tie, to be shot off squad system first miss-out.

Highest scorer in the Australian Team will hold the special International High-Gun Cup, valued at \$150.00 (presented by J. M. Bauman, Esq., of Brisbane) for 12 months (or until the next International Match) and will be awarded a special trophy valued at \$10.50, and the International High-Gun Sash and I.C.I. Sterling Silver Commemoration Badge. Second and third High Guns will also receive trophies valued at \$10.50 each.

Every member of the Australian Team will receive the special "International Badge".

Only A.C.T.A. official Referees to officiate, scorer and check scorer to be provided, score sheets to be signed by Scorers and Referees. The team members to be squadded in the order in which they qualify.

The products donated for this shoot, both cartridges and clay targets, must be used in the Teams shoot.

NATIONAL DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 50 Targets from 16 yards. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Entrance Fee and Trophies to be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweepstakes to be paid out without deduction and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

NATIONAL INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE-BARREL CH'SHIP

The 50 clay targets released from 16 yards in the Australian National Double-Barrel Championship will be counted for the Intermediate Double-Barrel Championship and shall be restricted to shooters whose Association Handicap does not exceed 16 yards on the date annually that these Championships are contested. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value, kills only to count. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Entrance Fees and Trophies shall be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweepstakes to be paid out without deduction and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

NATIONAL SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 50 Targets from 16 yards. Using one barrel only, the competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor

shall shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Entrance Fee and Trophies to be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweepstakes to be paid out without deduction and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

AUSTRALIA - NEW ZEALAND CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 50 Targets from 16 yards, double barrel, scoring 3 points for the first barrel and 2 points for the second barrel, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Entrance Fees and Trophies to be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweepstakes to be paid out without deduction, and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

NATIONAL DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 25 pairs double rise from 16 yards,

one visit to the traps, and shall be scored one point for each target. Each competitor shall shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Entrance Fee and Trophies to be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweepstakes to be paid out without deduction and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

NATIONAL CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS CUP

The Championship shall be shot at 50 Targets from 20 yards, double barrel, both barrels equal value, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Entrance Fee and Trophies to be determined each year by the full Executive Committee. All optional sweepstakes to be paid out without deduction, and shall be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., and third 10 per cent.

COMMONWEALTH CHAMPIONSHIPS

COMMONWEALTH DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 40 Clay Targets from 20 yards. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value and score one point. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks squad system at 5 to 10 clay targets at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$5, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

COMMONWEALTH SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at

40 clay targets from 20 yards. One barrel only. The competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun. Each competitor shall shoot from the five tracks squad system at 5 to 10 targets at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies, 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$5, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

COMMONWEALTH MIXED BIRDS CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot in the following order at five clay targets from 20 yards, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring

value and score as one point. Five clay targets from 20 yards single barrel, one cartridge only allowed in gun, each kill to count as one point. Five walk-up clay targets, double barrel, competitor to have gun loaded and ready to commence his walk from the 22 yards mark. The competitor advances at an ordinary walking pace — to shuffle or walk slowly is a "no bird". The clay target is released between 20 and 15 yards inclusive and the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator, or dice arrangement, and is determined each target the competitor is to shoot at. Five pairs of double-rise clay targets from 16 yards rise, squad system, each target to count as one, making possible total 25 points. In the event of ties to be shot at 2 double barrel, 2 single barrel, 2 walk-up, and 2 pair double rise, total 10 points, until finality. Maximum Entrance fee \$5 for Championship, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The club management to provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

COMMONWEALTH WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 25 clay targets, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value and count as one point. The competitor shall load his gun on the 22 yard mark. When ready in this position he commences and continues to walk at a normal walking pace. To walk slow or shuffle constitutes a "no bird". The puller will release the target between the 20 and 15 yards mark inclusive, the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator or dice arrangement. The competitor will shoot at five or ten targets at each visit, in the order laid down in Rule 96. Each competitor shoots from centre track. Maximum Entrance fee to Championship \$5, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The manage-

ment shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. In the event of ties, to be shot off in lots of five clay pigeons until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

COMMONWEALTH DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 20 pairs of clay targets from 16 yards. Each competitor to shoot at five pairs at each visit, five tracks squad system, and score each kill as one point. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out, best of each pair until finality. The management of club conducting Championship shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$5, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

COMMONWEALTH DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot from 24 yards at 20 pairs of doubles. The competitors will stand with four shooters on the ground at one time, the first pair of shooters using tracks one and five for the first round, changing over to tracks two and four for the second round. The second pair of shooters to alternate with first pair. The competitors can arrange between themselves which track they will take and who shall call for the release of the clay targets, which will be released on the call of Pull. In the event of a false call by either competitor they must abide by the result. Only pairs shall count, and as one point. Either shooter can help his partner after he has broken his own target. In the event of a misfire by either gun, another clay target or targets will not be given that competitor, and he is required to abide by the result. Each two competitors will shoot at five pairs at each visit. In the event of ties, to be shot off first

miss-out tracks 2 and 4. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$5 for each competitor, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, 60 per cent. first pair, 30 per cent. second pair, 10 per cent. third pair from money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets each pair that have entered the optional sweep. The management shall provide four trophies — two for 1st and two for 2nd.

State Championships

INTERSTATE TEAMS MATCH

Team 15 members. 10 highest scores to count. 50 targets per member from 18 yards, double barrel, both barrels equal value. 5 track, squad system, to be shot in two stages of 25 targets per visit, over one trap. 5 targets from each track per member before changing tracks. In the event of a tie for High Gun, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. International load shells, 1½ oz. shot, No. 6 size or lighter, only manual automatic or electric oscillating traps to be used.

QUALIFICATIONS

Each team member shall have resided in the State for which they represent, for at least the preceding three months.

Team members shall be chosen by an elimination match, 30 targets from 18 yards, 5 track squad system, double barrel, both barrels equal value. 1½ oz. shot, No. 6 size or lighter. 15 highest scorers to automatically become the State Team.

In the event of a tie, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

An appropriate High-Gun trophy shall be provided, and a souvenir badge shall be given to each member of the State Team (15) by the club conducting the event. The programme and venue of the Interstate Teams Match shall be advertised by the club conducting the event in the A.C.T.A. "NEWS" at least two months prior to the State Team's elimination shoot, and the State Teams match. The winning team shall hold the Great Britain and Ireland Trophy for a period of 12 months. The competition to be completed in each State not later than the first day of September of each year.

The club conducting the Elimination match shall provide prize money

of not less than \$100 compulsory division. Maximum Nomination for the Elimination match shall be \$5.00.

Only official A.C.T.A. Referees to officiate, scorer and check scorer to be provided. Score sheets to be signed by Scorers and Referees.

No other major shoot is permitted in the particular State on the day or days when the Elimination and State Teams shoot is held. The team members shall be squadded in the order in which they qualify.

The products donated for this shoot, both cartridges and clay targets, must be used in the Teams shoot.

STATE DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 30 clay targets from 18 yards. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value and score one point. Each competitor to shoot five to ten clay targets at each visit from five tracks squad system. The management shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$4, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

STATE SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 30 clay targets from 18 yards One barrel only. The competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun. Each competitor shall shoot from five tracks squad system at five to ten clay targets at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$4, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

STATE MIXED BIRDS CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot in the following order at five clay targets from 18 yards, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and score as one point. Five clay targets from 18 yards single barrel, one cartridge only allowed in gun, each kill to count as one point. Five walk-up clay targets, double barrel, competitor to have gun loaded and ready to commence his walk from the 22 yards mark. The competitor advances at an ordinary walking pace—to shuffle or walk slowly is a "no bird". The clay target is released between 20 and 15 yards inclusive, and the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator, or dice arrangement, and is determined each target the competitor is to shoot at. Five pairs of double-rise clay targets from 16 yards, each target to count as one point, making possible total 25 points. In the event of ties to be shot at two double barrel, two single barrel, two walk-up and two pair double rise, total ten points, until finality. Maximum Entrance fee \$4 for Championship, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The club management to provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

STATE WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay targets, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and count as one point. The competitor shall load his gun on the 22 yard mark. When ready in this position he commences and continues to walk at a normal walking pace. To walk slow or shuffle constitutes a "no bird". The puller will release the target between the 20 and 15 yards mark inclusive, the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator or dice arrangement. The competitor will shoot at five to ten targets at each

visit, in the order laid down in Rule 96. Each competitor shoots from centre track. Maximum Entrance fee to Championship \$4, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. In the event of ties, to be shot off in lots of five clay targets until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

STATE DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 15 pairs of clay targets from 16 yds. Each competitor to shoot at five pairs at each visit five tracks squad system, and score each "kill" as one point. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out, best of each pair until finality. The management of club conducting Championship shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$4, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

STATE DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot from 22 yards at 20 pairs of doubles. The competitors will stand with four shooters on the ground at one time, the first pair of shooters using tracks one and five for the first round, changing over to tracks two and four for the second round. The second pair of shooters to alternate with first pair. The competitors can arrange between themselves which track they will take and who shall call for the release of the clay targets, which will be released on the call of Pull. In the event of a false call by either competitor they must abide by the result. Only pairs

shall count, and as one point. Either shooter can help his partner after he has broken his clay target. In the event of a misfire by either gun, another clay target or targets will not be given that competitor, and he is required to abide by the result. Each two competitors will shoot at five pairs at each visit. In the event of ties, to be shot off first miss-out from Nos. 2 and 4 tracks. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$4 for each competitor, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided 60 per cent. first pair, 30 per cent. second pair, 10 per cent. third pair, from money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets each pair that have entered the optional sweep. The management shall provide for trophies—two for 1st and two for 2nd.

District Championships

DISTRICT DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay targets from 16 yards. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal scoring value and shall score one point. Each competitor to shoot from five tracks squad system at five to ten clay targets at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$3, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

DISTRICT SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay targets from 16 yards. One barrel only. The competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun. Each competitor shall shoot from five tracks squad system at five or ten clay targets at each visit. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance

fee for Championship \$3, optional sweepstakes, to be divided first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those competitors who have entered for the optional sweep.

DISTRICT MIXED BIRDS CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot in the following order at five clay targets from 16 yards, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and score as one point. Five clay targets from 16 yards single barrel, one cartridge only allowed in gun, each kill to count as one point. Five walk-up clay targets, double barrel, competitor to have gun loaded and ready to commence his walk from the 22 yards mark. The competitor advances at an ordinary walking pace—to shuffle or walk slowly is a "no bird". The clay target is released between 20 and 15 yards inclusive, and the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator, or dice arrangement, and is determined each bird the competitor is to shoot at. Five pairs of double-rise clay targets from 16 yards, each target to score and count as one, making possible total 25 points. In the event of ties to be shot at two double barrel, two single barrel, two walk-up, and two pair double rise, total ten points, until finality. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$3, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The club management to provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

DISTRICT WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay targets, double barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and count as one point. The competitor shall load his gun on the

22 yard mark. When ready in this position he commences and continues to walk at a normal walking pace. To walk slowly or shuffle constitutes a "no bird". The puller will release the target between the 20 and 15 yards mark inclusive, the mark to be unknown to the competitor, being predetermined by an indicator or dice arrangement. The competitor will shoot at five to ten targets at each visit, in the order laid down in Rule 96. Each competitor shoots from centre track. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$3, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. In the event of ties, to be shot off in lots of five clay targets until finality. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

DISTRICT DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot at 10 pairs of clay targets from 16 yards. Each competitor to shoot five tracks squad system at five pairs at each visit, and score each "kill" as one point. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out, best of each pair until finality. The management of club conducting Championship shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$3, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

DISTRICT DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

The Championship shall be shot from 20 yards at 20 pairs of doubles. The competitors will stand with four shooters on the ground at one time, the first pair of shooters using tracks one and five for the first round, changing over to tracks two and four for the second round. The

second pair of shooters to alternate with first pair. The competitors can arrange between themselves which track they will take and who shall call for the release of the clay targets, which will be released on the call of Pull. In the event of a false call by either competitor they must abide by the result. Only pairs shall count, and as one point. Either shooter can help his partner after he has broken his clay targets. In the event of a misfire by either gun another clay target or targets will not be given that competitor and he is required to abide by the result. Each two competitors will shoot at five pairs at each visit. In the event of ties, to be shot off miss-out from Nos. 2 and 4 tracks. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$3 for each competitor, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, 60 per cent. first pair, 30 per cent. second pair, 10 per cent. third pair from money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets each pair that have entered the optional sweep. The management shall provide four trophies — two for 1st and two for 2nd.

Tower Championships

COMMONWEALTH TOWER CHAMPIONSHIPS

To be shot at 20 clay targets, squad system, as in Rule 102, five feet directly in front of centre of Tower—five to ten clay targets to be shot on each visit to the track. Normal setting of trap, clay targets to be thrown at usual angles. Two barrels permitted, and each barrel to be of equal scoring value, and score one point. Ties to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. Competitors must not turn towards the Tower and must face directly to the front throughout the competition. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$5, opt. sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. The management shall provide three trophies—1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

STATE TOWER CHAMPIONSHIP

To be shot at 20 clay targets squad system, as in Rule 102, five feet directly in front of centre of tower, five to ten clay targets to be shot on each visit to track. Maximum Entrance fee for Championship \$4, thence same conditions as Commonwealth Championship.

DISTRICT TOWER CHAMPIONSHIP

Same conditions as in State Tower Championship. Maximum Entrance fee \$3.

INTERMEDIATE DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP COMMONWEALTH, STATE AND DISTRICT

The Championship shall be shot at 20 clay targets, double-barrel, either barrel to be of equal scoring value, and count as one point. Shooting will take place from 16 yards. Each competitor to shoot from five tracks, squad system. Each competitor to shoot at five to ten clay targets at each visit. The event is restricted to shooters whose Association handicap does not exceed 16 yards on day of competition. The management shall provide three trophies — 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Maximum Entrance fee \$5 Commonwealth, \$4 State, optional sweepstakes, to be divided, first 60 per cent., second 30 per cent., third 10 per cent. of sweep money received, without deduction, are permissible. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheets and score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.

(Intermediate Deauville Doubles will be shot from 18 yards.)

INTERMEDIATE SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

Same conditions as Commonwealth, State or District above, except where double-barrel is stated, single-barrel should be understood, with the addition that competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun.

CLAY SPARROW TITLES

Same conditions as applicable to clay targets.

NIGHT SHOOTING CONDITIONS

Same as foregoing, maximum entrance fee \$0.50 extra.

WALK-UP CONDITIONS

In all walk-up events the position of the gun shall be optional, providing complete safety conditions are observed. A loaded gun shall be deemed to be in a position of safety when it is the shooter's turn to shoot and he faces and points the gun in the general direction of the trap house, having the gun either mounted on the shoulder or in the gun-down position.

CARTRIDGES

Standard Shell for Championships. Shells used in all open championships (Commonwealth, State and District) are required to be restricted to 1½ oz. of shot, struck measure, or its equivalent, No. 6 shot size or lighter. Shells marked by reputable manufacturer as complying with this regulation are approved. Re-loaded cartridges are permitted.

Home-loaded or re-loaded cartridges may be used in all events excepting International Championships and events, National Championships and Interstate matches and events.

CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHIES

Championship trophy value (inclusive of badge or sash) for Commonwealth Championships is fixed by the Association at \$80. Similarly with State Championships the amount fixed for trophies (inclusive of sash or badge) is fixed at \$60. In District and Club Championships the value of trophies is left optional and at the discretion of the club conducting the event.

TIES

All tie shoots in Commonwealth, State and District Championships (except walk-up, mixed birds and Deauville Doubles) must be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

SKET CHAMPIONSHIPS

Conditions for all open skeet championships: Commonwealth, two rounds of 25 targets (= 50); State and District are one round of 25 targets. Nomination in each event \$5, \$4, and \$3 respectively.

Skeet Tie Shoot Rules. — Skeet tie shoots shall be shot squad system, miss-out.

A.C.T.A. HANDICAPPING FORMULA

As from January 1, 1968, the following Handicapping Formula, approved by the A.C.T.A. Executive Committee, is effective.

CASH OR TROPHY VALUE WINS and DIVISIONS (Obtained in ONE (1) Day)

- 12 yarder. Immediate movement of 1 yard back on receipt of a win of \$2, or division, or equivalent trophy value. (A 12 yarder once having left the mark mentioned cannot be returned to that mark.)
- 13 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$4 or equivalent trophy value.
- 14 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$7 or equivalent trophy value.
- 15 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$10 or equivalent trophy value.
- 16 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$13 or equivalent trophy value.
- 17 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$15 or equivalent trophy value.
- 18 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$17 or equivalent trophy value.
- 19 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$19 or equivalent trophy value.
- 20 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$20 or equivalent trophy value.
- 21 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$22 or equivalent trophy value.
- 22 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$24 or equivalent trophy value.
- 23 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$26 or equivalent trophy value.
- 24 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$28 or equivalent trophy value.
- 25 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$30 or equivalent trophy value.
- 26 yarder. 1 yard back on winning \$32 or equivalent trophy value.

The following will apply to all yardages:

A win or division or equivalent trophy value of \$101 to \$300, 2 yards back.

A win or division or equivalent trophy value of \$301 to \$400, 3 yards back.

A win or division or equivalent trophy value of \$401 or more, 4 yards back.

OPTIONAL SWEEPSTAKE winnings and High-gun trophies should NOT be included.

Winners of championships or other events gained behind their A.C.T.A. Handicap automatically go back to the mark from which the win or division was obtained.

No shooter can be handicapped on a win or division gained in front of his A.C.T.A. handicap mark.

A shooter, once having attained the mark of 16 yards, on merit, cannot be handicapped in front of that mark again.

INWARD MOVEMENT

Shooters who compete and shoot right through four consecutive FULL DAILY PROGRAMMES, and receive no trophy or division of any description, may receive inward movement from Club Secretaries (except in case where the shooter concerned is the Secretary, then the President or Club Handicapper). Such recommendations must be accompanied by fullest details on the Official Handicap Return Form. No recommendation of more than one (1) yard on each recommendation, unless the shooter is suffering from some physical disability, will be accepted.

GENERAL

Club Presidents and Secretaries are instructed that during any shoot, the management must immediately re-handicap each and every shooter who, for any of the reasons prescribed in the A.C.T.A. Handicapping Formula, qualifies for backward movement off his handicap. Such adjustments are to strictly comply with the Formula. No shooter is to be permitted to compete in another event should he refuse to accept his new mark. Handicap details concerning on-the-spot adjustments are to be forwarded on the prescribed form, within two days, to the A.C.T.A. official Handicapper for

ratification. Should the shooter ignore his latest handicap, irrespective of mark shown in "News", he will be penalised a further yard if he shoots inside his latest handicap.

Only the club and Association Handicapper have authority to amend shooters' Handicap Cards.

Club managements have the right to re-handicap any obviously under-handicapped shooter immediately, providing the Association is notified within TWO DAYS and the reason given on a Handicap Return Form.

If these details are not completed, such handicap movement cannot be ratified.

Clubs when registering a shooter for the first time must clearly indicate whether the shooter is a complete

novice gun handler, or has had field or other experience, before a 12-yard mark can be approved. Failure to provide this information will result in the shooter being placed on 16 yds.

No handicaps are assessed on Tower, Deauville Doubles, Double-Rise, Walk-up and Mixed Birds. All other novelty contests to be handicapped in accordance with this Formula.

Club managements are informed that a Handicap Return must accompany every result sheet forwarded to the A.C.T.A. and same is required to reach the A.C.T.A. office within SEVEN DAYS of each shoot being held. (Handicap Return Pads are available on application to the A.C.T.A., Box 2038 S, G.P.O., Melbourne, 3001.)

CROYDON & DISTRICT CLAY TARGET CLUB (V.) (Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Ground Location: Hughes Park, Maroondah Highway, North Croydon.

Practice from 1-1.30 p.m., Day Shoots; 7-7.30 p.m. Night Shoots (5 birds, 20c).

Saturday, 10th February, 1968

Commencing 1.30 p.m.

CITY OF RINGWOOD DOUBLE-BARREL CH'SHIP

1st Sash and Trophy. Trophy each for 2nd, 3rd, 12-14 and 15-16 yds.
1st Trophy donated by Mr. DICK MADDEN, Mine Host Coach and PLUS
Horses Hotel, Ringwood. Nom. \$3.00

\$500 — 20-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP

1st — TOSHIBA PORTABLE T.V. SET, 11" — 12 to 240 volt AC/DC.
2nd — TOSHIBA "8" TRANSISTOR RADIO.
3rd — MISTREL 16" ELECTRIC FAN.

Yardage Group winners: Half a case of CARTRIDGES each. Nom. \$7.00

This shoot to be conducted at . . .

— LILYDALE GUN CLUB GROUND —
by courtesy of Lilydale Gun Club Committee.

Location: Continue along Maroondah Highway past Croydon Ground to Victoria Road, situated on top of hill prior to entering Lilydale township. Turn left into Victoria Road and continue along this road (approx. four miles) until Ground located.

R. BUCHAN, President.
Phone: 870-5459.

G. LEAR, Secretary.
Phone: 288-5129.

DUTIES OF A REFEREE

It is most necessary that adequate preparations are made to assist the smooth running of a shoot and the duties of the referee in charge on the setting up of the traps. Rule 57 states that the target must be 9 feet from the ground, when 10 yards from the trap, with a margin of tolerance of 18 inches above or below.

There is a tendency among officials to set the trap at 10 feet 6 inches and say that they are within the permissible tolerance. This is not so. The trap so set has no tolerance above, and has 3 feet tolerance below the 9 feet bar. In all cases the trap should be set to throw targets 9 feet high when 10 yards from the trap and should be altered immediately weather conditions cause clays to be thrown outside these limits. All too few clubs set their traps so that they cannot lower them to cope with an oncoming wind.

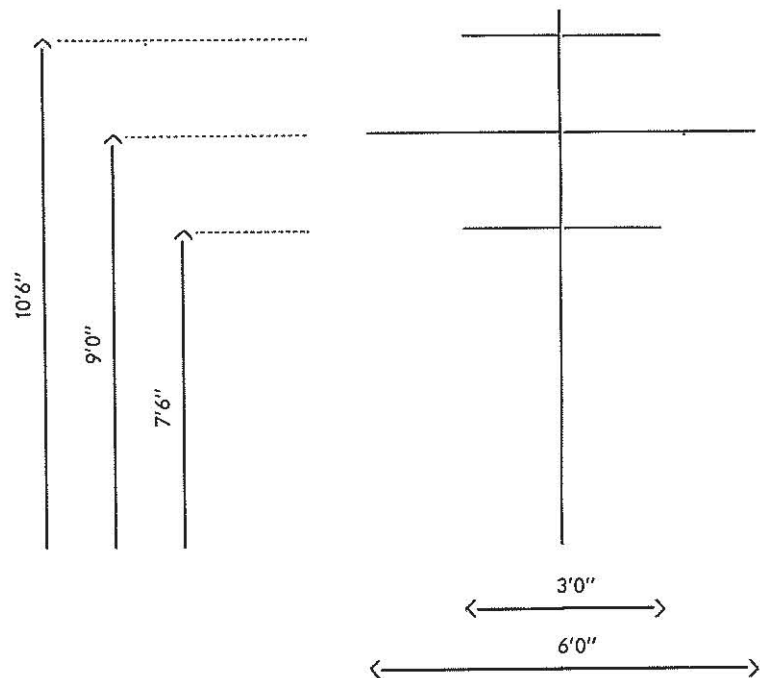
Traps should be adjusted so that both extreme right and left clays are

thrown at the same angles from the centre. It is quite a simple matter to do this, by standing on No. 1 track and observing at what angle the right target is thrown and then going to No. 5 track and checking on the left target.

On the height of targets—all too few clubs have correct height sticks. These should have a horizontal bar at 9 feet high and another two: one at 7'6" and another at 10'6". To judge the correct heights, referees should stand at right angles to the marker so they can see at what height the targets cross the marker.

If this procedure is carried out prior to the eye-opener event (and/or when weather or trap breakdowns necessitate adjustments), then very little problems should occur during the conduct of any programme.

To construct a height stick within Rule 57, obtain either old water pipe or timber and fashion as follows:—



Official Skeet Shooting Rules and Regulations

SECTION I

FIELD LAYOUT—TARGETS

1. A Skeet field shall consist of eight shooting stations arranged on a segment of a circle of twenty-one (21) yards radius, with a base chord (exactly one hundred twenty (120) feet, nine (9) inches long), drawn six (6) yards from the centre of the circle. The centre of the circle is known as the target-crossing point and is marked by a stake.

Station 1 is located at the left end of the base chord, and Station 7 at the right end when facing the centre while standing on the periphery of the segment. Stations 2 to 6, inclusive, are located on the periphery at points equidistant from each other (the exact distance between Stations 1 and 2, 2 and 3, etc., is twenty-six (26) feet, eight and three-eighths (8 $\frac{3}{8}$) inches. Station 8 is located at the centre of the base chord.

Shooting Stations 1 to 7, inclusive, are a square area, 3 feet on a side, with two sides parallel to a radius of the circle drawn through the station marker. Shooting Station 8 is a rectangular area 3 feet wide by 6 feet long, with the long sides parallel to the base chord. The location of each shooting station shall be accurately designated by a suitable marker, not easily removable, not more than 30 inches high and so constructed as not to interfere with the free swing of a shooter standing on the shooting station. The marker for Shooting Stations 1 to 7, inclusive, is on the centre of the side nearest the target crossing point. The marker for Shooting Station 8 is on the centre point of the base chord.

A shield should be installed at the target opening of each traphouse so that the trap operator is not visible to the shooter when he is firing at Station 8. This precaution is desirable as a safety factor for the pro-

tection of the trap boy from possible injury from direct or ricocheting shot.

As a safety precaution there should be a barrier (wire or rope) located 7 to 10 yards behind the shooting stations 1 to 7, and roughly following the course of the semi-circle on which these stations are located. No spectators should be allowed within this barrier and the referee should be responsible for the enforcement of this rule.

One target should emerge from a traphouse (called High House) at a point three (3) feet beyond Station Marker 1 (measured along the base chord extended), and ten (10) feet above the ground level. The other should emerge from a traphouse (called Low House) at a point three (3) feet beyond the Station Marker 7 (measured along the base chord extended), and two and one-half (2 $\frac{1}{2}$) feet from the base chord extended (measured on side of target-crossing point), and three and one-half (3 $\frac{1}{2}$) feet above the ground.

Suitable markers shall be placed at points forty-four (44) yards and fifty-five (55) yards from both the High House and the Low House, to indicate the shooting boundary limit (44 yards). These distances shall be measured along a line and the flight of a regular target (55 yards) from the opening (where target emerges) in traphouse through the target-crossing point.

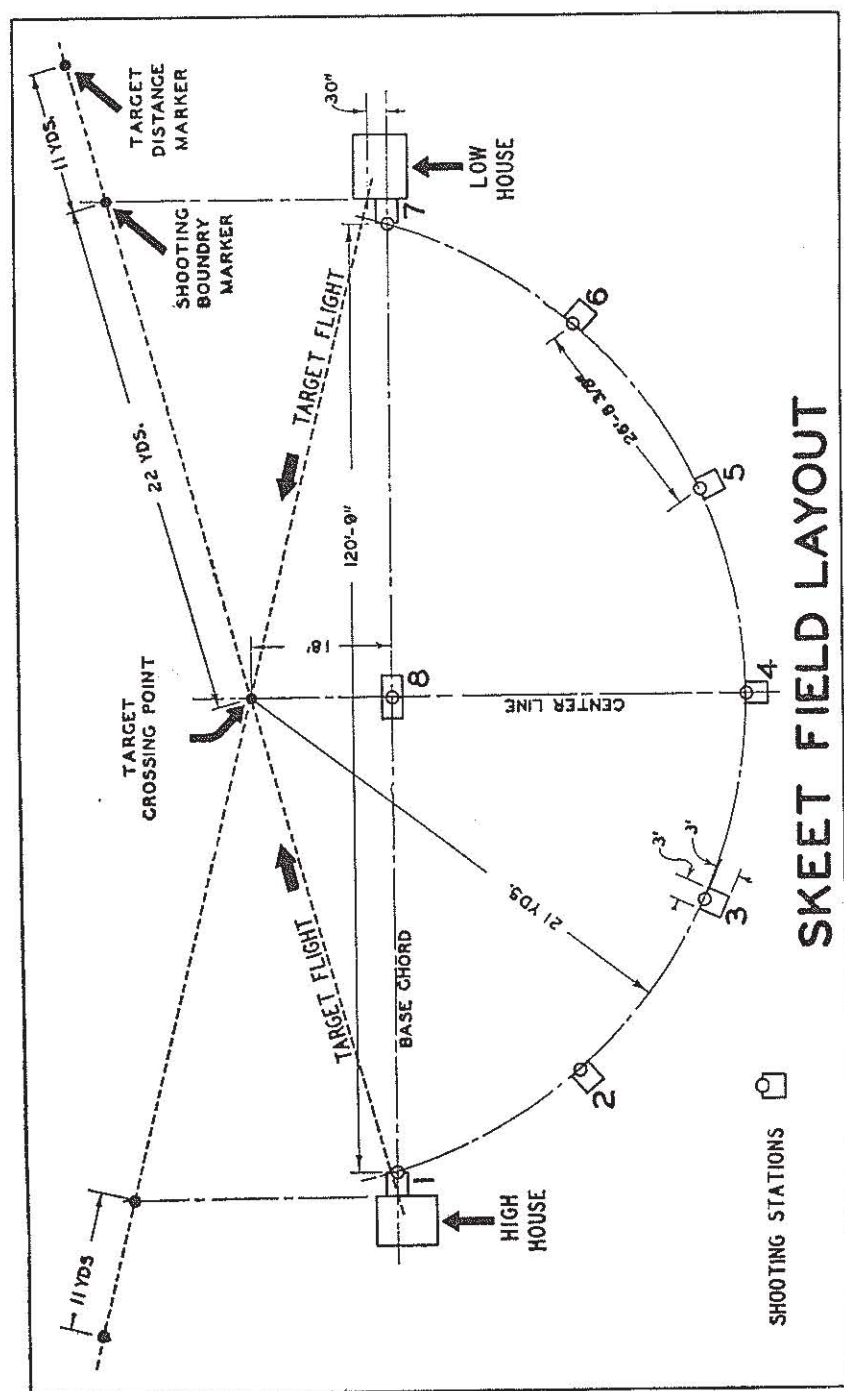
SECTION II

SHOOTING PROCEDURE

1. Definition of Terms.

(a) Shooting Position.

Standing with both feet entirely within the boundary of the shooting station.



(b) Gun Position.

Any position which is comfortable or satisfactory to the shooter and is consistent with safety.

(c) No Bird.

(i) A No Bird shall be called in the event of a mal-function or misfire at the second target when double loading.

(ii) Any target thrown for which no score is recorded, or failure of a target to be thrown within the prescribed time limit of one second. This permits the throwing of "instant" targets, but gives a short time period in order to prevent a contestant from refusing a target which does not appear immediately after his call. If a shooter fires upon a target which appears after one second has elapsed between his call and the emergence of the target, and also before the referee calls, "No bird," the result of his shot shall be scored. If he withholds his shot after such an alleged "slow pull," the referee may declare the target, "No bird," provided he, in his sole judgment, decides that the delay exceeded the one second time allowance. The pull is not required to be "instantaneous."

(d) Interference.

Any circumstance beyond the shooter's control which unduly affects his opportunity to break any particular target. The appearance of a target, or a piece of a target, from an adjoining field shall not be ruled as interference, unless such target, or piece of target, strikes or threatens to strike, the shooter or his gun, and provided that such interference occurs after the shooter has called for his target and before he fires upon it.

(e) Regular Target.

A regular target is one that appears after the shooter's call and within a period not to exceed one (1) second, and which passes within three (3) feet, horizontally or vertically, of a point fifteen (15) feet above the target-crossing point. This target, in still air, must carry to a distance equivalent, on level ground, to fifty-five (55) yards from the trap-house, but under no conditions exceed sixty-five (65) yards.

(f) Irregular Target.

(1) An unbroken target that has

not conformed to the definition of a regular target.

(2) Two targets thrown simultaneously in singles.

(3) Target thrown broken. Under no circumstances shall the result of firing upon a broken target be scored.

(g) Regular Double.

A regular target thrown from each trap-house simultaneously.

(h) Irregular Double.

Either or both targets of a double thrown as irregular targets. Only one target is thrown.

(i) Proof Double.

A repeat of a double.

(j) Shooting Bounds.

For Stations 1 to 7, inclusive, an area forty-four (44) yards in front of the trap-house from which the target is thrown. For Station 8, the distance from the trap-house to a point directly over a line with Stations 4, 8, and the target-crossing point.

(k) Balk.

Failure to shoot at a regular target or double.

(l) Malfunction of Gun.

Failure of gun to operate or function through no fault of the shooter. A gun doubling shall be considered a malfunction for the second shot.

The "fan-firing" of the second shell in doubles, caused by a shooter holding back the trigger after the firing of the first shot, shall be considered as the fault of the shooter and is not an allowable malfunction.

(m) Defective Ammunition.

Failure of ammunition to fire or function due to structural deficiency.

(n) Dead Target.

A target from which a visible piece is broken as a result of having been fired upon and seen by the referee.

(o) Lost Target.

A target from which no visible piece is broken as a result of having been fired upon.

(p) Doubles, First and Second Shot.

The first shot shall be the first shot fired. The second shot shall be the second shot fired.

(q) Optional Shot.

The shot fired after the first twenty-four targets have been scored dead in any one round.

(r) Shooting Procedure.

In shooting single Targets, except from No. 8 Station, a competitor may load two cartridges if he so desires, using one cartridge for each target.

2. General.

A normal skeet squad is composed of five shooters. The squad shall start shooting singles at Station 1 in the order in which the names appear on the score sheet, and shall proceed through the singles at stations as numbered, shooting the high-house target first and the low-house target second. Each shooter shall shoot at both targets before leaving the shooting station, except at Station 8, where each shooter shall shoot at a target from high traphouse before any member of the squad shoots at a target from low traphouse.

Doubles shall be fired upon at Stations 1, 2, 6, and 7 in that order, shooting the first shot at the target emerging from the nearest traphouse and the second shot at the target from the farthest traphouse. However, the shooter shall have the option of reversing the order of the first and second shot, in which case the referee must be notified before shooting. If a double is not completed before any reason beyond the control of the shooter, another double shall be fired upon, and is known as a proof double; except, however, if a shooter fires upon the first target of a regular double and fails to fire upon the second target because of the fault of the shooter, the result of the firing upon the first target shall be scored and the second target shall be scored "lost."

A round of Skeet for one person consists of twenty-five (25) shots, the object being to score the greatest number of dead targets. Twenty-four shots are fired as stated above. The first shot scored lost in any round shall be repeated immediately and the result scored as the twenty-fifth shot. Should the first shot lost occur in a double, the lost target shall be repeated as a single with the result of this shot scored as the twenty-fifth shot. If the first shot scored

"lost" should be the first target of an irregular double, then a proof regular double shall first be fired upon to determine the result of the second shot, and then the first target scored "lost" shall be repeated as a single and scored as the twenty-fifth shot.

Should the first twenty-four targets of a round be scored "dead," the shooter shall have the choice ("optional") of trap and station for this twenty-fifth shot.

In the interest of conserving time, the shoot management may elect to have shooters fire upon their doubles at Station 1 immediately following the shooting of singles at that post and follow the same procedure at Stations 2, 6 and 7. When this policy is adopted, shooters who have not missed a target after having fired upon doubles at Station 7 shall then take their optional shots at that station (7). The squad will finish out the round by shooting singles in the usual manner at Station 8. Taking the "optional" shot by all "straight" shooters while they are at Station 7 is intended to prevent confusion and cross traffic that would result in taking the twenty-fifth shot after finishing at Station 8. Clubs adopting this speed-up policy, in the interests of uniformity, require all squads to follow the same procedure.

At the beginning of each round, when the squad is assembled at Station 1, the squad shall be entitled to observe one (1) regular target from each traphouse and shall have the option of observing one regular target after each irregular target, except where said irregular target was fired upon.

No member of a squad shall advance to the shooting station until it is his turn to shoot, and until the previous shooter has left the shooting station. No shooter shall order any target or shoot at any target except when it is his turn. The penalty for shooting out of turn without permission of the referee shall be to score all targets so fired upon as "lost."

No member of a squad, having shot from one station, shall proceed toward the next station in such a way as to interfere with another

shooter. The penalty for wilful interference in this manner shall be disqualification from the event.

No shooter shall unduly delay a squad without good and sufficient reason in the judgment of the referee in charge of his squad. A shooter who persists in deliberately causing inexcusable delays after receiving a first warning from the referee shall be subject to disqualification from the event.

Broken Gun. When a gun breaks in such a manner so as to render it unusable, the shooter has the option of using another gun if such gun can be secured without delay, or dropping out of the squad until the gun is repaired and finishing the event at a later time when a vacancy occurs or after all other contestants have finished the event. Nothing shall prohibit the shooter from missing one round because of a broken gun, having the gun repaired and then rejoining the squad for all later rounds that the squad have not started. In that case the shooter will finish any or all rounds, starting with the shot where the breakdown occurred, that were not shot because of a broken gun, on the proper fields and in the first vacancy that may occur, or after the event has been finished by all other contestants.

Shooting Up. Where a shooter has entered but does not show up to start an event with his squad, he will not be permitted to shoot up after the first man in the squad has fired the first shot at Station 2. He may join the squad for all later rounds, but the round missed because of lateness must be shot on the proper field in the first vacancy, or after all other contestants have finished.

3. Scoring.

(a) The score in any one round shall be the total number of "dead" targets.

(b) Targets declared "no bird" shall not be scored.

(c) One "lost" target shall be scored on:

(1) A balk or failure of gun to fire due to fault of shooter. Should this include both targets of a regular double, it shall be scored as first target lost, and a proof double shall

be thrown to determine the result of the second shot only.

If a balk should occur, or his gun fail to fire because of the shooter's fault, when a proof double is thrown and the result of the first shot has already been scored, the second target shall be scored as "lost."

(2) Each excessive malfunction or malfunctions of the gun.

(3) Doubles fired upon in inverse order without notifying referee of intention.

(4) Target broken after it is outside the shooting bounds.

(5) Each target fired at when shooter fires out of turn without permission of referee.

(6) Each target fired upon and allegedly missed because the shooter's gun had a bent barrel, or a bent compensator, or any other bent tube or accessory.

(d) No claim of irregularity shall be allowed, either on singles or doubles, where the target or targets were actually fired upon and the alleged irregularity consists of deviation from the prescribed line of flight, or because of an alleged "quick pull" or "slow pull," unless the referee has distinctly called "no bird" prior to the firing of the shot in the event of the "quick pull," or prior to the emergence of the target from the traphouse in the event of a "slow pull." Otherwise, if the shooter fires, the result shall be scored.

4. Repeat of Target for Malfunction of Gun or Defective Ammunition.

Only two malfunctions of any one gun in the same round shall be allowable. The third and all subsequent malfunctions of the same gun shall be excessive. Provided, however, that when more than one person is using the same gun in the same round, this rule shall apply to each of said persons separately.

A shot shall be repeated for each instance of defective ammunition. If a shell having once misfired is used again, and fails to fire, the result shall be considered a fault on the part of the shooter and scored "lost."

5. Double or Proof Double.

(a) (1) If the first target of a double is thrown irregular as to deviation from the prescribed

line of flight and is NOT shot at, a proof double shall determine the score for both shots, whether the second target is fired upon or not. The referee shall be the sole judge of irregularity.

(2) If the first target emerges broken, the double shall, in all cases, be declared "no bird" and a proof double shall be thrown to determine the result of both shots.

(3) If the shooter fires at the irregular target described in (1) above, then the result shall be scored for the first shot and the following rules pertaining to the second shot shall apply:

(b) In shooting doubles, if the shooter is deprived of a normal second shot because (1) the second target is thrown broken, or (2) the second target is thrown irregular as to deviation from the prescribed line of flight and is not shot at, or (3) the second target is not thrown at all, or (4) the second target is not thrown simultaneously, the result of the first shot shall be scored, and the second target only shall be declared "no bird" and a proof double shall be fired to determine the result of the second shot. If the shooter fires at the irregular target described in (2) above the result shall be scored.

(c) If a double is thrown but the targets collide, before the result of the first bird is determined, it shall be declared "no bird," and the result of a proof double shall determine the score of both shots.

(d) If a double be thrown but the shooter is deprived of a normal second shot for any of the following reasons, the result of the first shot shall be scored, and the second target only shall be declared "no bird," and a proof double shall be fired to determine the result of the second shot only.

(1) Both targets are broken with the first shot.

(2) The wrong target is broken with first shot. (For proof double ruling, see par. F. below.)

(3) The first shot is lost and a collision occurs before the result of the second shot is determined.

(4) The second target collides with fragments of the first target, properly broken, before the result of the second target is determined.

(5) The result of the first shot is determined, and interference occurs before the second shot is fired.

(6) An allowable malfunction occurs on the second shot. If such malfunction is excessive, not allowable, the second target shall be scored "lost."

(e) If a double is thrown and an allowable malfunction occurs on the first shot, it shall be declared "no bird," and the result of a proof double shall determine the score of both shots. If such malfunction is excessive, not allowable, the proof double shall be thrown to determine the result of the second shot only.

(f) There shall be no penalty for withholding the first shot when either target of a double is irregular. A proof double shall determine the score of both shots thereafter.

(g) In shooting a proof double after the first target (of a double) is "lost," if the shooter fires at, or breaks the wrong target first, said proof double shall be declared "no bird"; but, if this same procedure is repeated at the same station by the same shooter, it shall be scored as both targets "lost." If, in such a proof double and the first target (of a double) is "dead," the shooter fires at, or breaks, the wrong target first, said proof double shall also be declared "no bird"; but if this same procedure is repeated at the same station by the same shooter, it shall be scored as first target "dead," and second target "lost."

SKEET CHAMPIONSHIPS. Conditions for all open skeet championships: Commonwealth, two rounds of 25 targets (= 50); State and District are one round of 25 targets. Maximum nomination in each event \$5, \$4, and \$3 respectively.

Skeet Tie Shoot Rules — Skeet Tie shoots shall be shot squad system, miss-out.

SKEET HANDICAPPING FORMULA

Skeet Shooting is single - barrel shooting and all consequent handicapping is defined as a method whereby each competitor has an equal chance of reaching the possible with his allotted handicap.

A skeet shooter with no past performance or handicap rating shoots for targets to acquire a handicap. He shoots at 25 targets which comprise a round of skeet.

On his first performance he shoots with no handicap at 25 targets and, say, breaks 18 targets — this 18 is now his basis for handicapping until further scores are available. To ensure that he improves, THE KEY FIGURE OF 24 TARGETS (not the possible 25) is noted and the handicap allotted is the difference between this figure (24) and his average of 18 (i.e. $24 - 18 = 6$). Thus handicap rating is now 6 whilst he is shooting the next event.

After he shoots his second skeet round both his first performance (18 targets) and his second performance (say he breaks 20 of 25 targets) are added together ($18 + 20 = 38$, resulting in an average of 19 targets). The difference between this average of 19 and the KEY FIGURE OF 24 TARGETS gives his handicap for his next round of skeet as being 5.

After the third round of skeet an average is taken of the three performances of the shooter as described above and a handicap is awarded accordingly. The difference between this average and the KEY FIGURE OF 24 is now his handicap.

After four rounds of skeet have been shot (e.g. 18, 20, 17, 22), even if over a several-year period, during which the club keeps such records, discard the lowest of these four rounds (e.g. 17) and average the remaining 3 rounds to the nearest number of targets

$$\text{(e.g. } \frac{18 + 20 + 22}{3} = 20 \text{)}$$

This average of 20, subtracted from the key figure of 24, produces the handicap of 4 targets for the next round of skeet.

After the fifth round of skeet, where, say, 19 of 25 targets are scored, the NORMAL SKEET HANDICAPPING FORMULA is now applicable, which is:—

Take the last four (4) rounds, each of 25 targets, and discard the lowest score. The remaining three (3) scores are averaged. Thus from the above example, scores were 18, 20, 17, 22, 19, from which the initial figure of 18 is eliminated and the lowest score (17) of the remaining four scores is discarded, leaving $20 + 22 + 19 = 61$, of which the average is $20\frac{1}{3}$. The nearest whole figure of 20 is the accepted average. Take this average of 20 from the KEY FIGURE of 24 to arrive at the handicap of 4 targets.

THIS IS THE PROCEDURE FOR ARRIVING AT THE HANDICAP OF A SKEET SHOOTER AND SUCH CALCULATED RESULTS MUST APPEAR ON THE CLUB HANDICAP RETURNS AS LODGED WITH THE A.C.T.A.

Once a shooter attains an average of 24 targets, from these calculations, then his handicap becomes NIL.

The maximum skeet handicap attainable by a shooter shall be ten (10).

Once a shooter attains a skeet handicap of 3 or less, he cannot be handicapped forward of 3 unless there are unusual reasons.

In Skeet Championship events, kills only are counted.

In Skeet Handicap events, kills and handicap targets (figures from the above formula) are added together to arrive at the total score. A Skeet possible can only be 25 targets.

Skeet Sweepstakes:

The normal method in a Skeet Handicap is to divide the sweepstakes amongst those shooters attaining twenty-five killed (broken) targets, with handicaps included.

(example) Smith 25/25, Handicap 3,
total = 25/25.
Jones 22/25, Handicap 3,
total = 25/25.
Brown 19/25, Handicap 7,
total = 25/25.

The same method is used on the very few occasions a half-round is shot.

Skeet Shoot-offs (Handicaps):

Where several competitors attain a possible with or without handicap and a shoot-off becomes necessary, the method of finding the winner is as follows:—

(a) Club Competition —

Put the finalists in squads in the order they qualify.

Halve their initial handicaps (some clubs reduce to a quarter handicap here). Shoot a half-round of twelve targets. Add the half-handicaps to scores off the gun. Those with a total of twelve or more targets qualify for a further half-round and so on till the event is finalized.

Where there are no shooters with a nil handicap in the shoot-off, a quicker method is as follows:— After halving the handicaps take the lowest handicapped shooter(s), put him back to nil and deduct the number of targets (taken away) from each of the others.

	Half Handicap
(example) Smith	1 — 1 = 0
Brown	3 — 1 = 2
Jones	2 — 1 = 1
Green	1 — 1 = 0
Anderson	4 — 1 = 2

This leaves the competition quite fair, but usually shortens the time required to reach finality.

(b) Open Competition —

Shot first miss-out. Each shooter is allowed his allotted handicap and shoots at rounds of 25 targets until his allowed number of targets is used. Thus, a shooter on a nil handicap drops out after his first miss; a shooter with two targets drops out when his third miss is recorded, and so on to finality — unless a scratch marker is in the group, then reduce each shooter's handicap by the amount of the lowest marker in the group.

A half-round comprises twelve targets:— Stations numbered 1 to 7 = one alternative target from each, starting with the high house; station number 8 = one target from the high house; double targets from stations 2 and 6 = TOTAL twelve targets.

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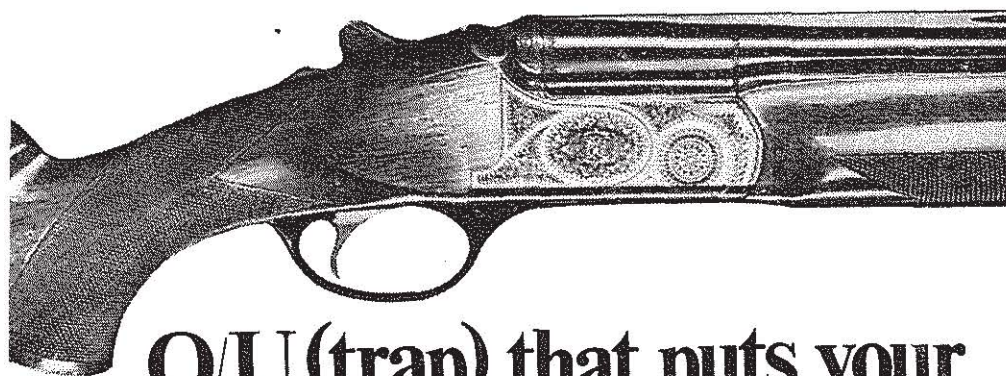
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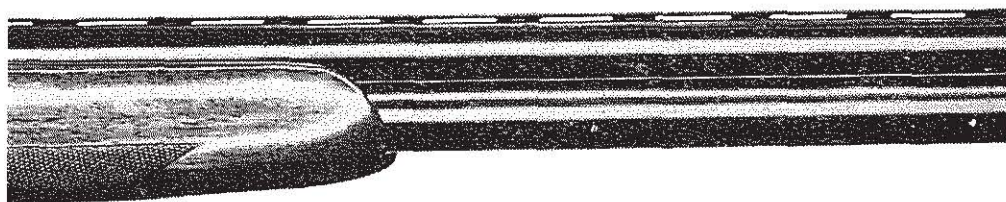
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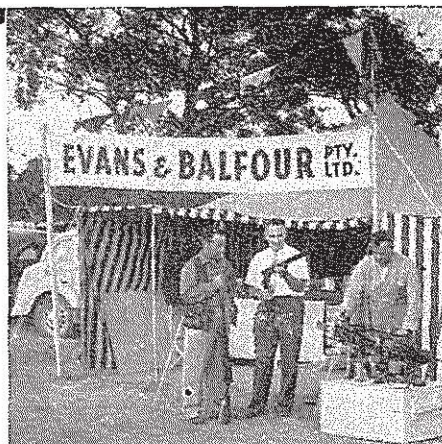
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FIRST DAY — SATURDAY, MARCH 9, 1968

Event No. 1 — COMMENCING 8.00 A.M.

National Champion of Champions Cup

The Championship shall be shot at 50 targets from 20 yards, double barrel, both barrels equal value, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner of the Champion of Champions Cup event will have won the Mackintosh Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series) and will also receive a substitute Champion of Champions Cup (presented by Evans & Balfour Pty. Ltd. of Melbourne), the A.C.T.A. Champion of Champions sash, a special winner's trophy valued at \$100, and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy valued at \$40. Fourth prize shall be \$20 cash, fifth prize \$10 cash, and for the best 12-16 yarder \$10 cash.

Nomination \$7.00 (Targets free); Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1.00;
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SECOND DAY — SUNDAY, MARCH 10, 1968

Event No. 2 — COMMENCING 8.00 A.M.

Australian National Double-barrel Championship

The Championship shall be shot at 50 targets from 16 yards, double barrel, both barrels equal value, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive the J. M. Wilson Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series), a trophy valued at \$90, a sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$50, and third trophy at \$40. The fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy), 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and over. A trophy will also be awarded to the best lady shooter in the event. Subject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following States (New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, Queensland, Western Australia), then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash.

Nominations (this event only) \$7.00 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstakes overall, \$1.00; Optional Sweepstakes each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2.00; Total \$10.00;

will be conducted in conjunction with the Australian National D.B. Championship. Sweepstakes will be paid out, without deduction: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Double-barrel Championship later than 10.00 a.m.

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Australian National Intermediate Double-barrel Championship

The 50 clay targets from 16 yards, in the Australian National Double-barrel Championship, will be counted for the Australian National Intermediate Championship and shall be restricted to shooters whose Association Handicap does not exceed 16 yards on March 10, 1968. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value, kills only to count. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive a trophy valued at \$40, the Championship sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$30, and third trophy at \$20. Fourth prize will be \$10 cash, and fifth prize will be \$10 cash.

Nominations (this event only) \$7 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstakes overall, \$1; Optional Sweepstakes each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2.00; Total \$10.00.

Optional sweepstakes will be paid out, without deduction: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Intermediate D.B. Championship after 10.00 a.m.

THIRD DAY — MONDAY, MARCH 11, 1968

Event No. 3 — COMMENCING 8.00 A.M.

Australian National Single-barrel Championship

The Championship shall be shot at 50 targets from 16 yards, using one barrel only. The competitor shall load one cartridge only in his gun, kills only to count, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor shall shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive the W. Rainbird Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series), a trophy valued at \$90, a sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy is valued at \$40, and fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy) 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and over. Subject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following States (New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, Queensland and Western Australia), then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash. Nominations \$7.00 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstakes overall, \$1.00; Optional Sweepstakes each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2.00; Total \$10.00.

Sweepstakes will be paid out, without deduction: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Single-barrel Championship later than 10.00 a.m.

Event No. 4 —

Followed by

Australian National Double-rise Championship

The Championship shall be shot at 25 pairs double rise from 16 yards, one visit to the traps, and shall be scored one point for each target. Each competitor shall shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The winner will receive the J. M. Tyquin Perpetual Cup for 12 months (or until the next National Championship series), a trophy valued at \$90, a sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge. Second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy at \$40, and fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy) 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and over. Subject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following States (New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, Queensland and Western Australia), then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash.

Nomination \$7.00 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstakes overall, \$1.00; Total \$8.00.

Sweepstakes will be paid out, without deduction: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries will be accepted for the Australian National Double Rise Championship later than 10.00 a.m.

FOURTH DAY — TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 1968

Event No. 5 — COMMENCING 8.00 A.M.

Australia - New Zealand Championship

The Championship shall be shot at 50 targets from 16 yards, double barrel, scoring three points for the first barrel and two points for the second barrel, 25 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out, points scoring.

The winner will receive a trophy valued at \$90, and the A.C.T.A. championship sash. The second trophy is valued at \$50, third trophy is valued at \$40, and fourth prize will be \$20 cash, after which \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the fifth to 15th inclusive place-getters. Special awards of \$10 cash will be awarded to each of the competitors registering the best performance and whose Association handicap is within the category (not winning any other trophy) 12-16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 yards and over. Subject to there being a minimum of three entrants from each of the following States (New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, Queensland and Western Australia), then the best registered such performance from each State, not having won any other award in this event, will be awarded \$10 cash.

Nominations \$7.00 (Targets inclusive); Optional Sweepstake overall, \$1.00;

Optional Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2.00; Total \$10.00.

Sweepstakes will be paid out, without deduction: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent. No entries for the Australia - New Zealand Championship will be accepted later than 10.00 a.m.

To be followed by

Australia-New Zealand Teams' Match

For the GLENN CUP

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The six top Australian scorers in the Australia - New Zealand Championship will comprise the Australian team. Both teams will shoot at 20 targets per shooter from 16 yards. Two barrels are permitted and either barrel shall be of equal value, kills only to count, 10 targets per visit, two visits to the traps. Each competitor to shoot from the five tracks, squad system. In the event of ties, to be shot off 10 targets per shooter, until one team survives.

A HIGH-GUN TROPHY will be awarded to the best New Zealand scorer.

Followed by

Event No. 6 —

\$300 - Handicap - \$300

25 TARGETS, DOUBLE BARREL, BOTH BARRELS EQUAL VALUE.

Targets Free. :: NOMINATION \$5.00.

FIFTH DAY — WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 1968

COMMENCING 8.00 A.M.

Twenty-second International Teams' Match

Competing teams are England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, South Africa, Rhodesia, Canada, New Zealand and Australia for the Mackintosh International Trophy, with results by air mail.

AUSTRALIAN TEAM

30 members, 25 highest scores to count. 100 targets per member from 16 yards. Double-barrel points scoring 3 and 2; 5 track squad system, 25 targets per trap over 4 traps, 5 targets from each track per member before changing tracks. In the event of a tie for High Gun, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. International load shells, 1½ oz. shot, No. 6 size or smaller, automatic angle traps.

The team shall be squadded in the order that the respective shooters qualified.

QUALIFICATIONS

Each team member shall be an Australian citizen of at least 12 months standing. In the event of a member being unable to take his place in the team, his place will be filled by another shooter, agreed upon by the Executive Committee.

The 30 highest scores in the National Double Barrel of 50 targets; National Single Barrel of 50 targets, and the Australian and New Zealand Championships of 50 targets, all points scoring 3 and 2, shall automatically become Australia's International Team. In the event of a tie, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

Highest scorer in the Australian Team will hold the special International High-Gun Cup, valued at \$150.00 (presented by J. M. Bauman, Esq., of Brisbane) for 12 months (or until the next International Match) and will be awarded a special trophy valued at \$10.50, the International High-Gun Sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. Sterling Silver Commemoration Badge. Second and third High Guns will also receive trophies valued at \$10.50 each.

Every member of the Australian Team will receive the special "International Badge".

Event No. 7 —

Followed by

Nineteenth Grand Australian Handicap of \$550

The Handicap shall be shot at 50 clay targets from Association Handicaps, double barrel, both barrels equal value, squad system, one target from each track, 25 clay targets each visit. In the event of ties, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out.

The \$550 allotted to the event will be distributed as follows:— First \$150, Second \$100, Third \$50, with ten yardage awards each of \$25, namely 12-13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20-21, 22-24 and 25-27 yards. The actual winner of the event will also receive a special Grand Australian Handicap Sash and an I.C.I.A.N.Z. silver badge.

Nomination \$8.00 (Targets inclusive); Sweepstake each 25 targets @ \$1 = \$2.00; Total \$10.00.

The sweepstake will be paid out without deduction and shall be divided: First, 60 per cent.; Second, 30 per cent.; Third, 10 per cent.

Followed by (time permitting)

\$300 - Handicap - \$300

25 TARGETS DOUBLE BARREL, BOTH BARRELS EQUAL VALUE. Targets Free. Divided 60%, 30% and 10%. :: NOMINATION \$5.00.

PROVISIONS THROUGHOUT THE PROGRAMME

1968 Registrations Cards must be produced when lodging entries for all events listed on the programme.

HIGH GUN: If a shoot-off is necessary to determine the high-gun winner, then the shoot-off shall be shot under handicap conditions.

CARTRIDGES: Special cartridges will be available to competitors only, at current rates. **ONLY THESE CARTRIDGES MAY BE USED THROUGHOUT THE PROGRAMME OTHER THAN FOR THE HANDICAP EVENTS.** All competitors' cartridges will be subject to examination by Association officials at any time.

PROTESTS: In the event of any protests ON AMMUNITION ONLY, \$2 accompanying each protest, which must be in writing and written in ink, must be lodged with the Referee during or at the conclusion of the visit concerned.

Competitors are requested to check their scores before leaving the track at the end of each visit. **THE DECISION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SHALL BE FINAL.**

REFRESHMENTS: Refreshments and luncheon will be available throughout each day.

NO LIABILITY: The organizers, whilst taking every precaution, do not accept responsibility for any accidental damage to any person or property on the ground, or for safe custody of guns, ammunition, clothing, etc., deposited in the pavilion or elsewhere.

Clay targets for the Champion of Champions Cup and the International Teams' Match, and cartridges for the International Teams' Match, are presented by Imperial Chemicals Industries of Australia and New Zealand Ltd.

Should circumstances warrant, the Executive Committee reserves the right to vary the conditions of any event.

TRAVEL AGENTS are TRANS AUSTRALIA AIRLINES of 50 Franklin Street, Melbourne.

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MARCH 30th to APRIL 6th

AUSTRALIAN SHOOTERS, NOW — NO EXCHANGE LOSS
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Travel and compete in the following Programme:

Saturday, March 30th — 9 a.m.:

Event 1 — 15-TARGET SWEEP	- - - - -	\$2.00
Event 2 — 25-TARGET SWEEP	- - - - -	\$4.00
Event 3 — 20 TARGETS, SINGLE BARREL	- - - - -	\$3.00
Event 4 — 20 SPARROWS	- - - - -	\$3.00
Event 5 — 10 PAIR DOUBLE RISE	- - - - -	\$2.00

Conducted by WAIMATE, GERALDINE and MACKENZIE GUN CLUBS combined.

Sunday, March 31st — 9 a.m.:

Event 1 — **GRAND MOTOR-CAR TROPHY SHOOT**

30 Targets, off open marks.

1st Trophy — VOLKSWAGEN MOTOR CAR, Approx. value \$2,000.

2nd Trophy — MIROKU UNDER AND OVER BROADBRIE STERLING SHOTGUN with case. Approx. value \$320.

3rd Trophy — 1 case AMMUNITION, Approx. value \$40.

Entry Fee \$25. :: Op. Sweep \$2.

Event 2 — **SKEET MATCH: one round 25 targets.**

Entry \$2. :: Straight Clays while skeet is in progress.

Monday, April 1st — 9 a.m.:

Event 1 — **NEW ZEALAND SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP**

(Holder: S. H. KNIBBS). Two rounds of 25 targets; 2 and 5 man teams match in conjunction with this event. Straight clays while skeet is in progress.

Tuesday, April 2nd — 9 a.m.:

Event 1 — **NEW ZEALAND SPARROW CHAMPIONSHIP**

(Holder: B. G. BEGG). 25 targets off 16 yds. over five traps.

Event 2 — **NEW ZEALAND DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP**

(Holder: C. HARTLEY). 15 pairs off 16 yds. over three traps.

Event 1 — **Wednesday, April 3rd — 9 a.m.:**

NEW ZEALAND SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

(Holder: S. R. MARSTON). 50 targets off 16 yds. over five traps.

Event 2 — **25 TARGETS SWEEP off 16 yards.** Entry \$4.00.

Event 3 — **25 TARGETS SWEEP off 18 yards.** Entry \$4.00.

The 1968 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the N.Z.G.C.A. will be held this evening in the Caroline Bay Tearooms at 8 p.m.

Thursday, April 4th — 9 a.m.:

Event 1 — **NEW ZEALAND SINGLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP**

(Holder: F. R. HUDSON, Aust.). 50 targets off 18 yds.

Friday, April 5th — 9 a.m.:

Event 1 — **25 TARGETS QUALIFYING MATCH, off 16 yards.**

Shot under International Conditions. Entry fee \$5. Pay-out 50 per cent. points system, 50 per cent. breaks.

Event 2 — Same as Event 1. Entry Fee \$5.

Event 3 — **HAWKES BAY SHIELD TEAMS MATCH**

Five-man teams, 20 targets off 16 yds. \$4 sweepstake in conjunction with this event. :: Team entry \$5.

Saturday, April 6th — 9 a.m.:

Event 1 — **MACKINTOSH INTERNATIONAL TEAMS MATCH**

Event 2 — **SWEEPS** to follow as time permits.

Championship Notes:

(1) Entry fee for all Championships \$4. Compulsory sweep \$2.

(2) Targets extra all matches.

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PROGRAMME FOR FEBRUARY, 1968

Saturday, 3rd — 1.30 p.m.:

Brooklyn District D.B. Championship

Trophies.

Footscray Dist. D.B. Sparrow Championship

Trophies.

Wednesday Night, 7th — 7.30 p.m.:

Pre-Duck-Opening Shoot

I.C.I.L. Cartridges for 1st, 2nd and 3rd and 1st in each yardage group.
Nomination \$5.00.

Saturday, 17th:

**NO SHOOT — WE'LL ALL BE AWAY LOOKING
FOR DUCKS !!!**

Wednesday Night, 21st — 7.30 p.m.:

V.G.C. Night Deauville Doubles Champ'ship

Trophies.

Wednesday Night, 28th — 7.30 p.m.:

5 TARGETS POINTS. Comp. Div.

20-TARGET DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP. Trophies.

Saturday, 2nd March:

**NO SHOOT — THIS TIME WE'RE LOOKING
FOR QUAIL !!!**

The Committee reserves the right to alter the Programme if necessary.

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● ● PROGRAMME FOR 1968 ● ●

February 10th:

CITY OF W'BOOL DOUBLE-BARREL NIGHT CH'SHIP
CASH HANDICAP to follow.

March 9th:

WESTERN DISTRICT MIXED BIRD NIGHT CH'SHIP
\$50 TROPHY HANDICAP

April 13th:

WESTERN DISTRICT DOUBLE-RISE SPARROWS
CASH HANDICAP to follow.

May 11th:

LES JACOBS MEMORIAL HANDICAP
CLUB DOUBLE-BARREL DAY CHAMPIONSHIP

June 8th:

\$50 CASH HANDICAP
CLUB DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

July 13th:

— TROPHY SHOOT —

August 10th:

CLUB DOUBLE-RISE CHAMPIONSHIP
HANDICAP to follow.

September 14th:

— \$50 HANDICAP —
WESTERN DISTRICT WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP

October 12th:

COMMONWEALTH DOUBLE-RISE NIGHT SPARROW
CHAMPIONSHIP
VICTORIAN DOUBLE-RISE NIGHT SPARROWS C'SHIP

November 9th:

MOUNT WARRNAMBOOL D.B. DAY CHAMPIONSHIP
CLUB SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP (DAY)

December 14th:

CHRISTMAS SHOOT . . . Night

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• WHERE SHOOTERS MEET •

Saturday, February 3 — 1.30:

HANDICAP TROPHY. TRAP and SKEET as time permits.

Saturday, February 17 — 1.30:

N.S.W. (Open) Single-barrel Championship

Saturday, March 2 — 1.30:

N.S.W. Gun Club 89th Anniversary Shoot

20-BIRD D.B. ANNIVERSARY BROWNING HANDICAP
Entry \$12.00

First — Sash and Browning U. & O. Gun. Second — Canteen Cutlery.
Third — Dinner Set.

Metropolitan District S.B. Championship

Entry \$3.00

7.30:

Sydney Dist. Night D.B. Sparrow Champ.

Entry \$3.50

HIGH-GUN TROPHY donated by I.C.I. over the three events.

Saturday, March 16 — 1.30:

Metropolitan District D.B. Championship

Entry \$3.00

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Location: Travel along MAROONDAH HIGHWAY to within one mile of Lilydale, turn left at sign-post on top of hill for 4 miles along VICTORIA ROAD, travelling north (keep on that road). Shoots commence at 1.30 p.m. Sharp unless otherwise advertised.

3rd February, 1968:

Event 1 — 8 PRS. D'VILLE DOUBLES EYE-OPENER

Event 2 —

Club Deauville Doubles Championship

20 Pairs off 18 yds. One shooter to be handicapped at not greater than 18 yards. Badges to winners. Trophies 1st and 2nd.

Event 3 —

Lilydale District Intermediate S.B. Championship

A cash sweep for Back-markers will be held in conjunction with this event. Sash to winner. Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Trophy for first place in this event kindly donated by Max Chilton.

★ 25 BIRDS SKEET SWEEPSTAKE ★

17th February, 1968:

... DUCK-OPENING SPECIAL ...

All cash sweeps or Programme to suit shooters present.

★ 25 BIRDS SKEET SWEEPSTAKE ★

2nd March, 1968:

Event 1 — 6 PAIRS D.R. PIGEONS EYE-OPENER

Event 2 —

Club Double Rise Championship-Pigeons

Badge to winner - - Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

Club Skeet Championship

— 25 Birds —

Trophy for 1st place in this event kindly donated by our President, Russell Fox.

OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING.

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Ground Location: Hughes Park, Maroondah Highway, North Croydon.

Practice from 1-1.30 p.m. Day Shoots; 7-7.30 p.m. Night Shoots (5 Birds, 20c).

-----SATURDAY, 10th FEBRUARY, 1968-----

— Commencing 1.30 p.m. —

— This Shoot to be conducted at LILYDALE GUN CLUB GROUND —
by courtesy of LILYDALE GUN CLUB Committee.

Location: Continue along Maroondah Highway past Croydon Ground along this road (approx. 4 miles) until ground located.
township. Turn left into Victoria Road and continue to Victoria Road, Lilydale, situated on top of hill prior to entering

EVENT No. 1 —

Trophies to the value of \$500

— 20-BIRD DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP —

1st — TOSHIBA PORTABLE T.V. SET, 11" — 12 to 240 Volt AC/DC.

2nd — TOSHIBA "8" TRANSISTOR RADIO :: 3rd — MISTREL 16" ELECTRIC FAN.

Yardage Group winners: Half a case of Cartridges each. :: Nom. \$7.00.

EVENT No. 2 —

City of Ringwood Double-barrel Championship

1st Sash and Trophy. Trophy each for 2nd, 3rd, 12-14 and 15-16 yards (1st, Electric Juice Extractor). Trophies and also a Sash for the best 12-14 yarder in this event, donated by courtesy of Mr. Dick Madden, Mine Host, Coach & Horses Hotel, Ringwood. :: Nom. \$3.00.

EVENT No. 3 (Time Permitting):

Yarra Valley District Single-barrel Championship

1st Sash and Trophy (Companion 2 Burner Gas Stove).

1st Sash and Trophy. Trophy each for 2nd, Trophy each for 2nd, 3rd, 12-14 and 15-16 yds. Nom. \$3.00.

-----WEDNESDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, 1968-----

— Commencing 7.30 p.m. —

Croydon & District Double-barrel Night Championship

1st Sash and Trophy. Trophy each for 2nd, 3rd, 12-14 and 15-16 yds. :: Nom. \$3.50.

-----SATURDAY, 24th FEBRUARY, 1968-----

— Commencing 1.30 p.m. —

Club Intermediate Double-barrel Championship

This event for shooters on 12 to 18 yd. mark. Sash and Trophy for 1st. Trophy each for 2nd, 3rd and 12-14 yds.
To be run in conjunction . . .

Club Back-markers' Championship

1st Sash and Trophy. Trophy each for 2nd and 3rd. :: Nom. \$3.00.

-----WEDNESDAY, 28th FEBRUARY, 1968-----

— Commencing 7.30 p.m. —

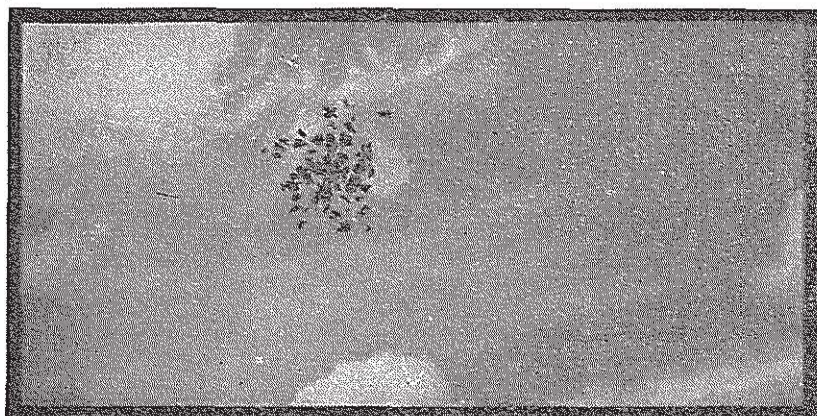
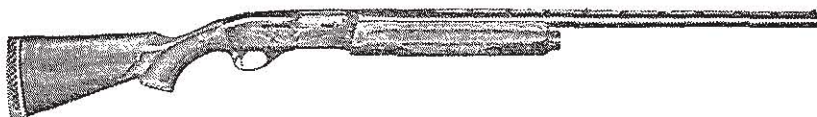
Club Double-barrel Night Championship

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SATURDAY, 2nd MARCH, 1968

— Commencing 1 p.m. SHARP —

Event No. 1— **10-BIRD EYE-OPENER. C.D.** Nom. \$2
(One case cartridges).

Event No. 2—

Goulburn Valley D.B. Championship

16 yards. Opt. Sweepstake, \$2. Nom. \$3

1st — Sash and Ronson Electric Razor.

2nd—Car Electric Vacuum Cleaner.

3rd—Tool Kit.

Event No. 3—

The Damian Doncon Memorial Trophy Event

Opt. Sweepstake, \$1. Nom. \$8.

1st — **PORTABLE T.V. SET** and Sash.

2nd—Rotisserie.

3rd—Transistor Radio.

**Teams in this event will shoot for the
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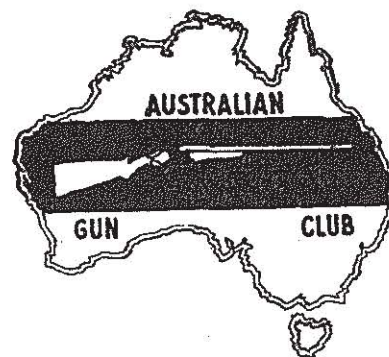
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~~~~~ **SATURDAY, 3rd FEBRUARY, 1968** ~~~~~

Promptly at 1.30 p.m.

## 20th BIRTHDAY SHOOT

10 BIRDS EYE-OPENER from 16 yards: 5 single barrel, 5 double barrel.

## CLUB MIXED BIRDS CHAMPIONSHIP

1st — Gold Badge and Folding Tablea :: Trophies 2nd, 3rd and yardage.

~~~~~ **25 BIRDS HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE** ~~~~~

NOBEL SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

1st — Sash and Auto Tent. :: Trophies 2nd, 3rd and Front Marker Handicap (4 and over); Lady's.

25 BIRDS SKEET HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

~~~~~ **SATURDAY, 17th FEBRUARY, 1968 — Duck Opening** — Nobody home today ~~~~~

~~~~~ **SATURDAY, 2nd MARCH, 1968** ~~~~~

10 BIRDS POINTS from 16 yards EYE-OPENER.

BURWOOD SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

1st — Sash and Trophy. :: Trophies 2nd, 3rd, 12-15 yards and Lady's.

20 BIRDS DOUBLE-BARREL HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE
25 BIRDS HANDICAP SKEET SWEEPSTAKE
25 BIRDS HANDICAP SKEET SWEEPSTAKE

~~~~~ **MONDAY, 11th MARCH, 1968** ~~~~~

## MOOMBA DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

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— APRIL 13, 14, 15 - 1968 —

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EASTER SATURDAY, 9 a.m. sharp - - - 13th APRIL, 1968

✕ \$200 HANDICAP 20 Targets - - - Nomination \$6

✕ DOUBLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP 20 Targets from 16 yards  
(First, Second and Third, also best 12-14 yards)

★ CASH HANDICAPS — Time permitting

NIGHT — commencing at 7 p.m.

✕ \$1000 "BUDGEWAH" NIGHT HANDICAP

Nomination \$10. :: 15 TARGETS. :: First \$500, Second \$200, Third \$150, Fourth \$100, and Fifth \$50.

EASTER SUNDAY . . . Free BARBECUE DINNER for shooters and their families at "Budgewah" Station. :: Free SOCIAL that Night.

EASTER MONDAY, 9 a.m. sharp - - - 15th APRIL, 1968

✕ EASTER GIFT VALIANT  
"Les McKinney Memorial" MOTOR CAR

Shot at 30 Targets off Association Handicaps. :: Nomination \$25.

Also the following Yardage Prizes of \$50 each: 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27.

✕ HAY DISTRICT SINGLE-BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

IF TIME PERMITS, OTHER EVENTS WILL FOLLOW OVER THE TWO DAYS.

SPECIAL CONDITION REGARDING THE EASTER GIFT:—

Contestants participating in the "MAJOR PRIZE" will not be eligible for any of the yardage prizes. The yardage prizes will be divided at the discretion of the HAY GUN CLUB.

SPECIAL TROPHIES over CARNIVAL . . .

HIGH-GUN TROPHY (over all events) presented by Mr. and Mrs. Rawnsley.

BREDA SHIELD (presented by Mal. Fuller).

I.C.I. TROPHY (best performance by a 12 to 16 yard Handicap Shooter in the two Championship Events).

LADY SPECTATOR TROPHY (presented by Ladies' Committee).

BEST LADY SHOOTER TROPHY OVER CARNIVAL (presented by Mrs. McKinney).

SPECIAL NOTE: The Programme as advertised takes place regardless of numbers and climatic conditions prevailing.

★ ACCOMMODATION DETAILS AND RESERVATION FORM ON NEXT PAGE.

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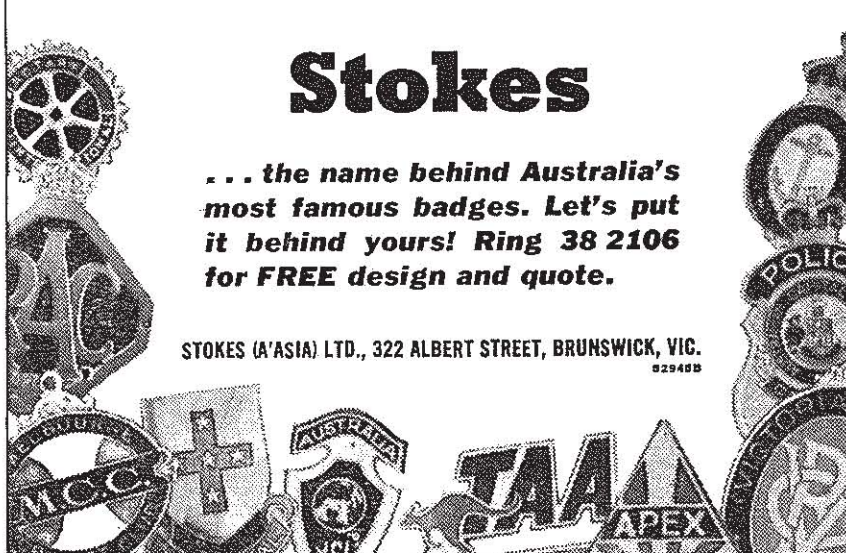
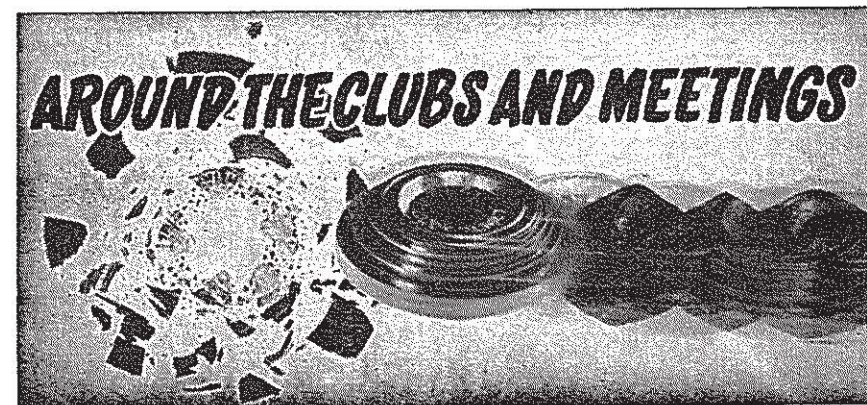
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**ALBANY (W.A.), 29/10/67**—Weather conditions: fine and cool and gusty winds. Attendance: 19. Results. No. 1, 15-bird D.B.: G. Stone, B. Ford, 15/15; J. Downer, J. Thompson, R. McCarthy, M. Gow, A. Holmes, J. Cameron, J. Enright, C. O'Donnell, P. Humphrey, 14/15. No. 2, 15-bird S.B.: J. Enright, 15/15; J. Thompson, M. Reger, 13/15. No. 3, 10-bird Walk-up: B. Ford, D. Webb, 9/10; J. Downer, M. Reger, C. O'Donnell, P. Humphrey, 8/10. No. 4, 10 pr. D. Rise: B. Ford, D. Webb, P. Humphrey, 15/20; M. Lubeke, C. O'Donnell, 14/20; J. Downer, B. Chandler, J. Cameron, 13/20. 1st, B. Ford, 50/60; 2nd, D. Webb, 49/60; 3rd, P. Humphrey, 48/60; F/M., J. Downer, 45/60.

Once again C. Campbell, shooting well, and H. Johnson were the only two to shoot the 10; a short shoot-off saw Harry victorious over Col.; 3rd, T. Roberts, 9/10. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: 3 possibles — B. Ward, J. Boote, C. Campbell, 5/5.

This event brought to a close a great night's sport. Special thanks go to our two Euroa visitors for their attendance, also to the novice shooters who showed great potential.

Finally, to our ladies once again, we thank you for your wonderful effort.

Shooters are reminded that the club will be conducting a big day shoot in February, 1968, for the Dunstan Shield.

(J. Boote, Hon. Sec.)

#### B. FORD IS Gun Club Champion.

The right to hold the Tom Humphrey Perpetual Cup for the ensuing 12 months was won by the new Albany Gun Club champion, Barry Ford, in convincing manner last Sunday. He became club champion by scoring an excellent 60 out of a possible 60. The mixed birds programme was designed to test a shooter's ability to the full.

This was shooting of a high standard under conditions far from ideal, caused by a gusty easterly.

A field of 17 competed in a four-event programme of 15 D.B., 15 S.B., 10 walk-up and 10 D. Rise. Runner-up was D. Webb 49, followed by P. Humphrey 48, C. O'Donnell, J. Downer each 45. Downer took the F/M. trophy, J. Enright and M. Lubeke 44, M. Reger and G. Hall 43, M. Gow, J. Cameron and J. Thompson 41, and Scotty Gibson 40.

(Jean M. Lubeke, Hon. Sec.)

**ALEXANDRA (V.), 10/11/67 (Night).** — Weather: near perfect. Attendance: good. No. 1, 5 birds: 6 possibles 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: 5 possibles — R. Hedger, J. Boote, C. Campbell, B. Nicholson, G. Ward. A complete squad competed for the trophies in the shoot-off — Grame and Bob leaving after a stay of some 13 birds. Kevin missed his 14th and took off third place. Colin, shooting brilliantly, worried J. Boote, who was anything but convincing to this stage and was relieved when Col. missed his 22nd bird, making his tally 31/32 and thus taking second trophy. J. Boote was eventual winner, 33/33. No. 3, 10 birds: 2 possibles.

**APSLEY (V.), 28/10/67.** — Weather conditions: cold and windy. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 5-target H'cap: L. Williams, R. Andrews, D. Plummer, A. Miller, W. Hetherington, 5/5. No. 2, \$50 Trophy H'cap (10 targets): 1st, B. Hetherington, 20/20; 2nd, R. Andrews, 19/20; 3rd, W. Oliver, 17/18. No. 3, \$50 Trophy H'cap (10 targets): 1st, K. Foster, 18/18; 2nd, R. Andrews, 17/18; 3rd, S. Williams, 12/13. No. 4, Tru-Flite Trophy H'cap (10 targets): 1st, P. Cleggett, 24/24; 2nd, S. Williams, 23/24; 3rd, B. Hetherington, 19/20. N

A very windy afternoon with very light showers, but scores were reasonably good despite the conditions.

(Athol Miller, Hon. Sec.)

**BAIRNSDALE (V.), 11/11/67 (Day).** — Weather conditions: perfect. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 6 birds Skeet: div. F. Howlett, N. Elliott, Jim Collins, 5/6. No. 2, Gippsland Skeet C'ship: 1st, R. Walker, 21/25; 2nd, Jim Collins, 20/25; 3rd, S. Collins, 18/25. No. 3, 5-bird S.B. (16 yds.): div. S. Lett, N. Elliott, 5/5.

Congratulations to our President for taking home the Gippsland Skeet C'ship. This popular win compensated us in spirit for the rather small attendance. However, the night shoot was to bring larger numbers.

Thanks, ladies, for the very fine afternoon tea. The visitors expressed their satisfaction.

(Stan Collins, Hon. Sec.)

## HAY GUN CLUB (N.S.W.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

### EASTER SHOOTING CARNIVAL — April, 1968 —

#### ACCOMMODATION DETAILS

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**BAIRNSDALE (V.), 11/11/67 (Night).**—Weather conditions: same as day. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B. (16 yds.): div. J. Hollands, W. Pederson, S. Lett, S. Collins, K. Davidson, G. Bassler. No. 2, Gippsland S.B. Night C'ship: 1st, S. Lett, 20/20; 2nd, R. Hoggard, 18/20, 5/5; 3rd, E. Dowe, 18/20, 4/5. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: div. J. Hollands, S. Collins, E. Dowe.

One of our regular visitors has done it again. Stuart Lett had the only possible in the main event. Five 18's then shot for 2nd and 3rd places. A much larger attendance for this programme, which included visitors from Maffra, Morwell, Sale, Traralgon, Melb. and one from N.S.W.

The fine supper was provided by the ladies, and thanks again. Also thanks to the many keen helpers during the two shoots.

The trophies for the programme were donated by Mitchell Bros., C. Heath and Perc. Fitzgerald. A very fine gesture by these members indeed.

(Stan Collins, Hon. Sec.)

**BALLANDEAN (Qld.), 19/11/67**—Weather conditions: fine and windy. Attendance: 56. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: 23 possibles. No. 2, 15-bird Pts. Trophy: 1st, M. Thrift, 48/48; 2nd, E. Chizzotti, 47/48; best 12-14 yds., S. Puglisi, 42/45. No. 3, 10 prs. D.D.: 1st, M. Thrift, D. Macanish, 16/16; 2nd, D. Worrall, R. J. Powell, 15/16. No. 4, 15-bird D.B.: 1st, G. McCowen, 45/45; 2nd, J. Lynam, 44/45. No. 5, 10-bird Pts. Teams Match: No. 1 team, 1st (B. Norris, D. Odling, C. Lee, C. McIntosh, J. Elliott, Mrs. Paget, A. McIntyre).

We were very pleased to have members of Lismore, Guyra and New England Clubs

with us for our Xmas shoot. The strong wind made conditions rather hard and scores for the day were generally down on past performances.

Malcolm Thrift, Gerry Chizzotti and Peter Lohse scored possibles in the I.C.I. Trophy event. It only required one bird each in the shoot-off to decide the winners. The 10 pair D'ville Doubles produced seven possibles, and as the shoot-off was decided over back 2 yds. each shot, this event was also soon decided.

The 15-bird D.B. produced seven possibles: Stafford Smith, G. McCowen, J. Lynam, W. Devonshire, R. Sonogo, R. Pennisi and Angelo Puglisi. George McCowen eventually gained first from Jack Lynam. The High Gun was divided between Harvey Smith and Jack Lynam.

As we now go into recess until March, we look forward to meeting all shooters next year.

(Noel Smith, Hon. Sec.)

**BANGALL (Qld.), 18/11/67**—Weather conditions: hot, dry and dusty. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, H. Owens, G. Magoffin, T. Delahunty, A. Strang, J. Gibson, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird S.B. Poole Trophy: K. Brown, 1st, 20/20; G. Magoffin, J. Gibson, 2nd, 19/20. No. 3, 20-bird Pts. R. Peters Trophy: 1st, T. Delahunty, 59/60; 2nd, S. Kavanagh, J. Hayes. No. 4, 15-bird S.B. Sparrows: 1st, J. Gibson, 15/15; 2nd, P. Johnston, K. Brown, S. Kavanagh, 14/15. No. 5, 10-bird D. Rise Sparrows: 1st, M. Heath, 9/10; 2nd, P. Johnston, G. Magoffin, 8/10. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: 1st, J. Hayes, C. Brown, P. Johnston, H. Owens, I. Capel, G. Magoffin, M. Heath, P. Haseler, 10/10. No. 7, Teams Shoot (10-bird Pts.): 1st, Oondooroo, 133/150.

This was the club's Annual shoot, and owing to the drought and severe conditions, smaller than former years. Congratulations to the trophy winners, K. Brown, T. Delahunty, I. Colquhoun, Novice High Gun; G. Magoffin, Open High Gun, and Oondooroo for the Team shoot.

We are hoping for a big season next year and we feel sure shooting will come back to its own again.

(H. M. Owens, Hon. Sec.)

**BARMERA (S.A.), 12/11/67.**—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: G. Cobbin, R. Barratt, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: P. Caddy, 10/10. No. 3, Riverland S.B. C'ship (20 birds): 1st, A. Commons, 38/38; 2nd, W. Langdon, 37/38; 3rd, R. Barratt, 25/26; F/M., J. Barratt. No. 4, Sportsgoods Trophy (20-target D.B. Clays H'cap): 1st, J. Barratt, 63/63; 2nd, T. Moritz, 62/63; 12-15 yds., P. Hall; 16-17 yds., R. Barratt; 18-19 yds., G. Cobbin; 20 and over, P. Caddy.

A poor attendance for a championship, but on considering weather conditions, we don't blame the Field and Game campers for staying up river; hope you caught some fish.

Congratulations to Arch and Wal, — 38/38 single barrel is good shooting. We also congratulate Jock and Tress; these steady, older shooters can still show the young men how. Has father Jock told you how it's done, son Rom?

Thank you to Freda, Johnny, Helen and Mary for your excellent afternoon tea.

(Peter Caddy, Pres.)

**BEAUFORT (V.), 17/11/67**—Weather conditions: perfect. Results: No. 1, Club S.B. C'ship: G. Kirkpatrick, 1st, 29/29; W. Carnes, 2nd, 28/29; L. Francis, 3rd, 25/26. No. 2, Club D.B. C'ship: N. Paterson, 1st, 117/117; R. Eason, 2nd, 116/117; K. Fisher, 3rd, 107/108.

This was our yearly championship shoot. Twenty-four attended in perfect weather and good lights made big scores possible. George Kirkpatrick, 29/29, took S.B. C'ship; 117/117 gave N. Paterson the D.B. C'ship.

We thank all who turned up.

(W. Bridges, Hon. Sec.)

**BENALLA (V.), 10/11/67.**—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: good. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: R. Morley, B. Reid, G. Huf, A. Jamieson, M. Feldtmann, V. Ryan, D. McGuinness Snr., J. McDonald, J. Challis, N. Bridges, B. Keir, D. Dent, H. Marshall, A. James, 5/5. No. 2, City of Benalla and Dist. Night C'ship: 1st, R. Morley, 31/31; 2nd, B. Keir, 30/31; 3rd, A. Kriss, 23/24. No. 3, 10 birds: R. Sutherland, G. Ballintine, R. Morley, N. Bridges, B. Keir, J. Renkin, D. McGuinness Snr., 10/10, div.

After a rather warm day shooters were able to relax in the cool evening air in the floodlights at Benalla. Conditions could not be better for the Night C'ship. The E.O. was divided by 14 shooters. R. Morley claimed the C'ship Sash in the shoot-off with 31/31; B. Keir, with 30/31, was a close second, and third place was taken by A. Kriss with 23/24. The third event, a 10-bird S'stake, was divided by R. Sutherland, G. Ballintine, R. Morley, N. Bridges, B. Keir, J. Renkin and D. McGuinness Snr., who all shot the possible.

A shoot-off for the High Gun trophy was decided by R. Morley, with 29/29, defeating N. Bridges.

R. Morley, it will be observed, was a highly successful shooter and champion performer, shooting the possible throughout the evening. A very creditable performance.

(G. Hammond, Hon. Sec.)

**BERRIDALE (N.S.W.), 12/11/67.**—Weather conditions: fine and pleasant. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B. from 16 yds. (C.D.): R. Sands, L. Venables, B. Scanes, B. Starr, A. Feilen, D. Rumble, T. Peardon, C. Frazer, W. Woodhouse, A. Bookalil, 5/5, div. No. 2, Monaro Dist. S.B. C'ship: 1st, W. Woodhouse, 29/30; 2nd, T. Hayden, 23/29; 3rd, G. Tilyard, 19/20; F/M., D. Badowitz. No. 3, Hudson Shield \$100 H'cap: 1st, Berridale No. 2 team, div. \$100 H'cap (T. Hayden, M. Blackstock, R. Maiden, O. Feilen, D. Badowitz, J. Caldwell, B. Caldwell, T. Peardon, G. Tilyard, J. O'Connor, P. Byrne, M. Lyons. No. 4, Monaro Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Byrne, 38/39; 2nd, R. Maiden, 36/37; 3rd, J. O'Connor, 33/34; F/M., B. Caldwell. No. 5, 15-bird D.B.: D. Badowitz, M. Blackstock, A. Povey, A. Feilen, D. Byrne, B. Caldwell, R. Sands, L. Venables, B. Starr, 15/15, div. No. 6, 15-bird Pts.: R. Maiden, D. Byrne, L. Venables, D. Rumble, M. Lyons, B. Scanes, M. Blackstock, A. Povey, A. Feilen, P. Byrne, 45/45, div. High Gun: O. Feilen. Intermediate High Gun: D. Badowitz.

The S.B. C'ship was won by W. Woodhouse from T. Hayden, with G. Tilyard third. The Berridale No. 2 team, comprising of T. Hayden, R. Sands, M. Blackstock, O. Feilen, R. Maiden, retained the Hudson Shield with a score of 98/100. Twelve shooters scored a possible in the Monaro District D.B. C'ship, and after a shoot-off D. Byrne emerged the winner, R. Maiden second, J. O'Connor third, and B. Caldwell front-marker. Congratulations to all prize winners in these events.

A successful day, with scores remaining close, eight happy shooters receiving a yard handicap. Thanks to all who helped make the day.

(H. Blackstock, Hon. Sec.)

**BLACKALL (Qld.), 4/11/67.**—Weather conditions: warm, calm and fine. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: S. H. Lemmon, W. M. Patterson, B. D. Doyle, D. E. Renz, B. Jackson, C. J. C. Gall, D. G. Lloyd, A. R. Lane, 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird Kills to Count: J. P. Doyle, 1st; R. J. Banks, 2nd; D. G. Lloyd, 3rd. No. 3, 20-bird Pts.: S. H. Lemmon, 1st; B. D. Doyle, 2nd; D. G. Lloyd, A. R. Lane, 3rd. No. 4, 10-bird D'ville Doubles: D. G. Lloyd - C. J. C. Gall, S. H. Lemmon - C. Patterson, 1st. No. 5, 15-bird D.B. Night: D. G. Lloyd, 1st; C. W. Gall, 2nd; S. H. Lemmon, J. D. Rodgers, 3rd.

This shoot brings our shooting year to a close. Trophies were of a festive nature. Peter Doyle, Sam Lemmon and Don Lloyd were all in good form.

A tasty barbecue tea was enjoyed by all, thanks to the cooking of Lloyd Wood.

(George Patterson, Hon. Sec.)

**BOMBALA (N.S.W.), 19/11/67.**—Weather conditions: cold and wet. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: div. D. Badowitz, O. Feilen, T. Hayden, L. Venables,

## WESTERN SUBURBS GUN CLUB (V)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Ground Location: Fitzgerald Road, ¼ mile from Brooklyn Speedway.

### ● PROGRAMME FOR FEBRUARY, 1968 ●

February 3rd: 10-BIRD HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKES

February 10th:

### Club Single-barrel Championship

February 17th: 20-BIRD HANDICAP TROPHIES

February 24th: 10-BIRD HANDICAP SWEEPSTAKE

Weekly Night Shoots commencing FEBRUARY 5th.

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A. Feilen, K. Manning, W. Woodhouse, R. Miller, H. Kennedy, D. Twigg, J. Badewitz, 5/5. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. T. Hayden, B. Caldwell, D. Twigg, D. Badewitz, K. Manning, A. Feilen, H. Kennedy, G. Chalker, R. Feilen, 10/10. No. 3, Captain's Trophy (5-bird S.B. Pts.): H. Kennedy, 21/21. No. 4, Bedford Shield (20-bird D.B.): O. Feilen, 61/61. No. 5, 5-bird Pts. (front-markers): J. Badewitz, 11/15. No. 6, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, D. Badewitz, 33/33; 2nd, H. Kennedy, 30/33; F/M., J. Badewitz, 29/30. No. 7, 5 pr. D. Rise: div. T. Hayden, L. Venables, B. Scanes, K. Manning, D. Twigg, T. Peardon, 10/10.

A very good attendance, as the weather was very wet and cold. Congratulations go to H. Kennedy for winning his second leg in the Captain's Trophy, and to Os. Feilen for taking out the Dave Bedford Memorial Shield. This shield has not been competed for since the last club closed down in 1959, and was shot for today by 21 shooters, with six lining up for the shoot-off. This shoot-off gave Os. his 75 break, and brother and President of the Bombala Gun Club, Alf Feilen, his 50 break. High Gun for the day was won by Don Badewitz with 50/50.

Thank you once again, ladies, for the afternoon tea.

(Mrs. Nancy F. Badewitz, Hon. Sec.)

**BOORT (V.), 18/11/67.**—Weather conditions: fine and windy. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 4-bird Walk-up: G. Crouch, 4/4. No. 2, Boort and Dist. Walk-up C'ship: 1st, J. Kerr, 15/20; 2nd, F. Baker, 16/25; 3rd, J. Crouch, 14/25; F/M. sash, F. Baker;

ladies', Miss Toose. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: J. Kerr, 10/10.

A very small entry for the Walk-up C'ship was recorded. Jack Kerr won outright with a creditable 15/20 in windy conditions. Frank Baker out-shot George Crouch in a shoot-off to take second prize and front-markers' sash. (J. Piccoli, Hon. Sec.)

**BRAIDWOOD (N.S.W.), 3/12/67.**—Weather conditions: fine, windy. Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: B. Roberts, R. Kennedy, N. Crichton, R. Bluit, 5/5. No. 2, 5-bird Pts.: D. Maher 15, C. Hockey 12. No. 3, 20-bird D.B.: N. Crichton, D. Maher, 18/20—shoot-off: N. Crichton, 5/5; D. Maher, 4/5. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: K. Clarke, N. Crichton, 7/10—shoot-off: K. Clarke, 2/2; N. Crichton, 1/2.

The windy weather did not account for lack of keenness in the competition. It was good to witness shoot-offs again and congratulations are due to winners, N. Crichton and K. Clarke. It was good to see local shooter Ken Clarke bring home a trophy from Queanbeyan last week (although it cost him two yards) and the performance put up by the five shooters in the teams' event will let other clubs in the district know that Braidwood is here and keen to contest any events open to visitors.

(Noel Crichton, Hon. Sec.)

**BREWARRINA (N.S.W.), 7/11/67.**—Weather conditions: cloudy, dry (as usual). Attendance: 10. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.:

B. O'Connor. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. D. Williams, J. Ryan. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Sparrows: div. T. Hegarty, D. Collins. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: div. T. Hegarty, R. Betts, K. Williams. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. Pts. ("Royal Hotel" Jackpot Trophy): R. Betts. No. 6, 10-bird S.B.: div. A. Hutchinson, D. Williams. No. 7, 5 pr. D. Rise: R. Betts.

Attendance down, probably on account of cricket and the dry weather. Most consistent shooter on the day was Ron Betts, winning two events outright and splitting another. This performance gave him a leg-in on the "Royal Hotel" Jackpot Trophy, a fistful of cash, the High Gun trophy, and a yard back.

Our thanks to the office staff (Treasurer Jack Durack and Mrs. Overton) and the ladies for the very tasty lunch and afternoon tea. The shooters (and others) were also very grateful for Martin Hegarty's good work behind the bar.

(John M. Ryan, Hon. Sec.)

**BRISBANE (Qld.), 15/11/67 (Night).**—Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. D. Clarke, G. Grieve, R. Warnemünde, G. Watson, G. Rao, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Pts.: T. Soames, D. Clarke, C. Webber. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: E. Cooke, R. Slawson, R. Close, 10/10. No. 4, S.E. Qld. D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st, P. Kilner, K. Isaacs, 10/10; 2nd, R. Slawson—B. Mackey, 16/17.

(E. Mackey, Pub. Officer.)

**BROKEN HILL (V.), 5/11/67.**—Weather conditions: fine, windy. Attendance: 17. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Sparrow H'cap: L. Campbell. No. 2, 10-bird Sparrows (16 yds.): L. Campbell, W. Maddocks. No. 3, Silver City D.B. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, A. W. Commons, 21/21; 2nd, W. Maddocks, 20/21; 3rd, A. Langsford, 29/32. No. 4, 10-bird H'cap: A. W. Commons, L. Campbell, B. Anderson. No. 5, 10-bird Broken Hill Skeet: A. W. Commons, L. Campbell, B. Murphy. Night Shoot.—No. 6, 10-bird H'cap: B. Murphy, J. Owen, H. McLeod, L. Campbell, H. Mellowship, W. A. Commons. No. 7, 15-bird Op. S'stake: H. Mellowship, 15/15; A. Langsford, 13/15; W. A. Commons, 19/20.

This month saw our smallest attendance for many shoots, perhaps due to our shooting a week earlier than usual. In the Sparrow C'ship we saw one of our older shooters show the younger how these events should be won. Arch Commons proved the eventual champion, although he was very closely pressed by Warren Maddocks, who is a strong competitor to try and toss (26 yards prove this). After another interesting shoot-off Arthur Langsford proved to be the stayer and took out a well-earned third trophy.

Our ladies again received our vote of thanks for a job well done.

(Brian Anderson, Hon. Sec.)

**BUNDABERG (Qld.), 12/11/67.**—Weather conditions: inclement. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 20-target D.B. Club C'ship: P. Anderson, B. Smith, 20/20. No. 2, 20-target S.B. Club C'ship: D. O'Dempsey, T. Jensen, 18/20. No. 3, 15-target D.B. Pts.: P. Anderson, R. Bloxsome, 44/45; D. Taylor, 40/45. No. 4, 15-target S.B.: M. Gablonski, D. O'Dempsey, M. Sankowsky, 15/15. Club C'ship High Gun over events 1 and 2: O. B. Bloxsome (Delubra, Munduberra).

In conjunction with the Club's C'ship, the Benjamin Smith Memorial Centenary Shoot was held. O. B. Bloxsome was the 1967

Club Champion (20/20 D.B. and 18/20 S.B.) and a Silver Bundaberg Centenary Medallion presented by D. Shannon. Sovereign winners, presented by Ben Smith, were P. Anderson, R. Bloxsome and D. Taylor.

Club shooting facilities are being used regularly and the standard of shooting of members never as high.

A. Stollnow, J. Gray, T. Jensen, M. Thiele, R. McCracken and W. A. Schoch attended the Rockhampton shoot in November. R. McCracken and T. Jensen shot off for the 20-bird D.B. Point event honours (handicap), whilst W. Schoch and R. Goldsworthy (Clermont) shared the 15-bird S.B. with a possible.

(W. A. Schoch, Hon. Sec.)

**BURDEKIN (Qld.), 28/10/67.**—Weather: good. Attendance: 42 afternoon, 52 night. No. 1, Qld. Tower C'ship: 1st, K. Knuth; 2nd, L. Ashworth; 3rd, R. B. Favero. No. 2, \$60.00 H'cap: div. 12 shooters.

Night Shoot.—No. 1, \$150.00 H'cap (20-bird D.B.): div. K. Knuth, S. Vitale, R. Byers. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. 10 shooters.

Our congratulations to the winner of Tower for some very fine shooting. Our sincere thanks to our ladies for the excellent high tea they provided. Everybody voted it A1.

**Sunday, 29/10/67.**—No. 1, Nth. Qld. D'ville Doubles Sparrows C'ship: Congratulations to G. Zanetti and W. Phelan on winning this event, with R. Byers and R. Quartermaine runners-up. No. 2, Angus Smith Sports Store Trophy H'cap: This was won after a shoot-off by K. Whitson from R. Byers and J. Carrington—nice shooting by these three. No. 3, \$100.00 H'cap (15-bird D.B.): div. 12 shooters. No. 4, Burdekin Special \$200.00 Trophy H'cap (20-bird D.B.): After a long shoot-off, this resulted in: S. Vitale, 1st; R. McLennan, 2nd; R. B. Favero, 3rd; A. West, 4th; C. Haller, 5th. No. 5, \$200.00 H'cap: div. G. Zanetti, R. Casalegno, A. West.

Our thanks to visiting shooters who attended and made our week-end so enjoyable. Once again our sincere appreciation to our ladies for the very fine effort they made over the two days.

(M. King, Sec.)

**H.M.A.S. CERBERUS (V.)** held their open invitation Xmas Shoot on 3/12/67.—Weather conditions: strong south-west wind, occasional showers. Attendance: 35. No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Pts. (off h'cap marks): div. Bill Stone, J. Petty, G. Biggs, G. Bartholomew, 15/15. Main Event, 20-bird D.B. (off h'cap marks): won in a shoot-off by N. White from N. Brennan, 2nd; G. Innes, 3rd. All three shot possible. Yardage prizes were won by T. Percival (12-13), P. Cook (14-15), G. Ash (16-19), G. Farrar (over 20). No. 3, 5-bird S.B. (from h'cap marks): D. Churches, E. Webb, div. 1st and 2nd; G. Innes, 3rd, in a shoot-off. All scored the possible, with Dave and Ern shooting 23 singles straight and no decision. Time was running out, so they shared the prize.

The four winners of the eye-opener had five chickens to divide, so not to ruin a fifth chicken, they donated it as a prize to be shot for by the two shooters with the lowest score in the main event. Slim Sutherland carried this one off. George Innes won the High Gun, being the only shooter to break the 30 birds possible for the day.

If possible the next shoot will be held the first Sunday in February.

(D. Churches, Hon. Sec.)

# WERRIEBE GUN CLUB (V) (Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Shooting Grounds: Ballan Road, Werribee

**SATURDAY, 10th FEBRUARY, 1968**

Starting 1.30 p.m.

Event 1—

**EYE-OPENER: 5 Targets Points (Tower). C.D.**

Nom. 50c

Event 2—

**Werribee District Tower Championship**

20 Targets :: Nom. \$3.00.

Trophies and Sash, 1st; Trophies 2nd, 3rd and F.M.

Event 3—

**... 10 TARGETS SKEET ...**

(Shot from the tower as duck-shooting practice). Nom. \$1.50.

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**COBDEN (V.), 16/9/67.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 5 pr. D. Rise: won by J. Morrison, 10/10. No. 2, 10 pr. D. Rise: 1st, M. Holloway, 19/20; 2nd, J. Morrison, 18/20; 3rd, N. Davis, 17/20. No. 3, 10 pr. D.D.: 1st, L. Reicha - B. King; 2nd, A. Blain - D. Grummett.

The September shoot was attended by 21 shooters from neighbouring clubs. J. Morrison performed well in the D.R. events, winning the E.O. and taking second place in the second event. The third event of D'ville Doubles was won by L. Reicha and B. King from A. Blain and D. Grummett.

(J. E. Corneby, P.O.)

**COHUNA (V.), 3/11/67.** — Weather conditions: warm and windy. Attendance: 30. No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows (C.D.): div. G. Bennett, A. James, F. Day, R. Hipwell, M. Tate, J. Kissell, V. Yeaman. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Cohuna Dist. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, A. James, 25/26; 2nd, C. Bowman, 24/26; 3rd, C. Ballard, 25/27; F/M., G. Bennett. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: div. G. Moore, C. Radcliffe, F. Day, L. Davis, R. Fowler, M. Williams, V. Yeaman, J. Kissell, C. Ballard, K. Hildebrand, R. Peacock, K. Frankling. No. 4, 5-bird D.B.: div. L. Davis, G. Moore, F. Day, R. Fowler, R. Hipwell, C. Radcliffe, K. Frankling.

A good attendance of 30 shooters came from Echuea, Kerang, Harcourt, Leitchville and Cohuna to compete in the Cohuna Dist. D.B. C'ship. In this event not one shooter obtained the possible and only two with 19/20, A. James, C. Bowman. A. James won in the shoot-off 25/26. C. Bowman was second with 24/26. Four shooters with 18/20 shot off for third place, S. Kerr, R. Peacock, C. Ballard, K. Dohson. C. Ballard was the place-getter with 25/27.

The evening concluded with two 5-bird events; also thanks to the ladies for the supper.

(Keith Frankling, Hon. Sec.)

**COLAC (V.), 4/11/67.** — Weather conditions: rough wind and mist. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 5-target H'cap Pts.: div. G. Walker, C. Grist, 15/15; W. Carr, D. Corstorphane, D. Lestrangle, B. Nock, 14/15. No. 2, 15-target Trophy D.B. H'cap: 1st, S. Bennett, 15/15; 2nd, G. Norman, 25/26; 3rd, R. G. Manifold, 24/26; 12-15 yds., N. Wenning, 18/20; 16-19 yds., M. Sutherland, 21/23; 20 and over, S. Walker, 20/22. No. 3, 10-target D.B.: div. J. Thomas, S. Bennett, G. Walker, P. Western, N. Wenning, D. Lestrangle, G. Norman, 10/10. No. 4, 10-target D.B.: div. J. Thomas, S. Bennett, C. Grist, A. Wembridge, P. Western, B. Nock, 10/10.

Shooters from Geelong, Barwon Heads, Cobden, and the Showmen's Gun Club joined local shooters for our annual Show night shoot. Local Stuart Bennett was the only man to record full score in trophy event; this is a habit of Stuart's at Show shoots. A shoot-off for second and third saw George Norman win out from Rob Manifold. Cash events were well divided.

Thanks to the ladies for a tasty supper.

(A. R. Neale, Hon. Sec.)

**CONDAMINE (Qld.), 11/11/67.** — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 22-target 20-bird D.B.: 1st, J. Hamlyn; 2nd, R. Britton; 3rd, J. O'Donnell. No. 2, 20-bird Pts. H'cap: 1st, R. Brose, J. Hamlyn; 3rd, J. Davis, J. Honan. No. 3, 5 prs. D. Rise: 1st, J. Honan; 2nd, J. O'Donnell; 3rd, R. Brose.

Considering this meeting was held during harvest, the attendance of 18 was very good. Not only was the weather good for shooting, but there was a good, friendly shooting atmosphere. In event 1, a 22-target 20-bird D.B., there was a shoot-off between two for 1st and 2nd, and a shoot-off between five for 3rd. The eventual place-getters were: 1st, J. Hamlyn; 2nd, R. Britton; 3rd, J. O'Donnell. Event 2 was a 20-bird Pts. H'cap, which was won by R. Brose and J. Hamlyn, and third was J. Davis and J. Honan. The 5 prs. D. Rise, event 3, was very interesting shooting. This event was won by J. Honan; 2nd, J. O'Donnell, and 3rd, R. Brose.

Of course, we must give thanks to the ladies who prepared and helped towards an excellent afternoon tea.

(M. F. Mee, Hon. Sec.)

**COOTAMUNDRA (N.S.W.), 18/11/67 (at Night).** — Weather conditions: fine, windy early. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. H'cap: 6 possibles. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. (16 yds.): 5 possibles. No. 3, S.W. Slopes D.B. Night C'ship: J. Thompson, 1st, 20/20; F. Chudleigh, 2nd, 19/20; G. Lymberry, 3rd, 18/21. No. 4, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: J. Thompson, 10/10; S. Bell, D. Gibbs, K. Sim, G. Lymberry, F. Chudleigh, 9/10. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: S. Bell, 9/10; J. Thompson, F. Chudleigh, 8/10. No. 6, 5 pr. D. Rise: D. Ratcliffe, 8/10; D. Gibbs, B. Rooke, J. Donnan, F. Chudleigh, 7/10.

Wind made the birds tricky early in the night, but dropped later. Jim Thompson once again showed his superiority under lights, taking out the championship and the monthly high gun.

Our thanks to the Griffith and Wagga boys for their attendance.

(T. V. Johnson, Hon. Sec.)

**COROWA (N.S.W.), 5/11/67.** — Weather conditions: fine and windy. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, 4 pr. Club D'ville Doubles: J. Sutherland - M. Feldtmann, F. Crawford - A. James, D. Williams - B. Morley, D. Murray - N. Mills, T. Clifton - J. Clifton, V. Ryan - G. Ballantine. No. 2, Corowa G.C. D'ville Doubles C'ship: 1st, D. Edwards - G. Edwards; 2nd, V. Ryan - G. Ballantine. No. 3, Wolfenden Shield: Corowa No. 1 team (A. Jamieson, H. Jamieson, R. Morley, K. Hodge, T. Clifton). No. 4, \$50 H'cap: D. Williams, H. Jamieson, R. Morley, A. Strachan, G. Ballantine, G. Livingston, H. Caldwell, G. Edwards.

Club committee were very pleased with roll-up. Thanks go to all shooters who travelled long distances, and we hope to see them next shoot. The day was quite windy and warm. Congrats. go to the winners of the D'ville Doubles C'ship, G. Edwards and D. Edwards from Finley, also second, V. Ryan and G. Ballantine. The next event of

the day, the Wolfenden Shield, was won by Corowa No. 1 team. Congrats. go to this team, as it's the third win in a row — very unique; also we think Heather is the first lady to be in a winning Shield shoot. Our \$50 H'cap was shot in conjunction with the shield, and as it was getting late, the eight shooters, D. Williams, H. Jamieson, R. Morley, A. Strachan, G. Ballantine, G. Livingston, H. Caldwell, G. Edwards, decided to cut. Congratulations go to them, too.

Once again, shooters, thanks for turning up and making our day a successful one.

(N. K. Mills, Hon. Sec.)

**COWRA (N.S.W.), 4/11/67.** — Weather conditions: strong, gusty winds, hot and dry. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, E.O.: div. J. Nash, A. Martens, H. Wilder, A. Barnett, J. Westhorp. No. 2, Trophy: 1st, A. Martens, 19/19; 2nd, L. Alexander, 18/19. No. 3, Pt. Score Sweep: div. D. Heilman, J. Westhorp, J. O'Connor, L. Goodacre, L. Alexander. No. 4, Sweep: div. L. Bird, E. Field, J. O'Connor, T. Powell, R. Toshack. No. 5, Novelty Sweep: div. L. Goodacre, J. Nash, H. Wilder, D. Heilman, T. Powell, L. Alexander. No. 6, E.O.: div. H. Wilder, H. Jaques, L. Alexander, L. Bird, L. Goodacre. No. 7, Cent. Tablelands D.B. Night C'ship: 1st, L. Bird, 41/42; 2nd, D. Heilman, 40/42; 3rd, R. Toshack, 25/27; F/M., K. Reid.

This month's shoot was held under very trying weather conditions — hot, gusty winds and sudden showers. However, despite the unfortunate weather, an interesting day's shooting was seen, with club President, Len

Bird, taking first place in the main event on the programme, the Central Tablelands D.B. Night C'ship. Two other Cowra-ites, Doug Heilman and Dick Toshack, took out second and third places respectively, making this championship a "family affair".

Winner of the Trophy event was Bert Martens (the Old Fox shooter), whose last-minute second barrel won the day for him, and so unnerved his shoot-off opponent, Les Alexander, that he missed his next bird, thus coming in second.

(M. Ryan, Hon. Sec.)

**CROYDON (V.), 4/11/67.** — Weather conditions: fine and windy. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, Club D.B. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, G. Lear, 20/20; 2nd, T. De Lorenzo, 28/29; 3rd, R. Buchan, 27/29; 12-14 yds., K. Bowtell, 17/20; 15-16 yds., D. Goon, 18/20. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: div. H. Wademan, T. De Lorenzo, R. Buchan, Bob McKnight, 20/20.

Only a reasonable attendance of 30 shooters for Club D.B. Sparrow C'ship. One only possible resulted in the championship being won outright. Several with 19/20 shot off for 2nd and 3rd trophies, which were won respectively by Tista De Lorenzo and Robert Buchan; 12-14 yd. trophy was won by Kevin Bowtell at his first appearance at the clays for some time, and the 15-16 yd. trophy went to Doug Goon, 18/20.

A 20-bird D.B. H'cap followed, resulting in four shooters, Harold Wademan, Robert Buchan, Tista De Lorenzo and Bob McKnight, scoring the possible to divide the stakes.

(G. Lear, Hon. Sec.)

## ROYAL AERO CLUB OF N.S.W. GUN SOCIETY

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

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SUNDAY, 11th FEBRUARY, 1968. Commencing 1.30 p.m.

### R.A.C. Double-rise Championship

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**DARNICK (N.S.W.), 4/11/67.** — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: 3 possibles — J. Johnson, B. Bock, E. Smith. No. 2, 15-bird Glen-Dell Trophy: 1st, J. Trask, 23/23; 2nd, B. Bock, 22/23; 3rd, W. Perry, 21/22. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. (16 yds.): 3 possibles — J. Johnson, W. Perry, L. Pippin. No. 4, Darnick C'ship: 1st, F. A. Barnes, 41/41; 2nd, D. Lambert, 40/41; 3rd, R. Eardthard, 32/33. No. 5, 10 birds (comp. div.): 10 possibles. No. 6, Darnick Railway H'cap: 4 possibles — 1st, E. Smith, 33/33; 2nd, H. Moore, 37/33; 3rd, F. A. Barnes, 22/23.

Conditions windy and dusty. It was pleasing to see such a good roll-up of shooters under such bad conditions. However, we got through the programme in good time.

I would like to thank the women for their very fine effort in the way they handled the meals and refreshments.

(J. W. Johnson, Hon. Sec.)

**DULVERTON (Tas.), 3/12/67.** — Weather conditions: very gusty winds and cold. Attendance: 12 shooters. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: K. Barber, R. Wighton, R. Monks, 5/5, div. No. 2, 10-bird Trophy: R. Wighton, 17/17; K. Appleby, 16/17. No. 3, 25 birds Mixed Sparrows C'ship: R. Wighton, 33/33; D. Perry, 32/33; R. Ward, 20/25. No. 4, 10 birds: R. Wighton, D. Taylor, D. White, 10/10, div.

Shooting under very bad conditions, gusty winds, hail and snow, made it very difficult for shooters in the State Mixed Birds C'ship. There were few shooters on account of bad conditions. This, however, did not affect Ray Wighton, our club fellow sportsman, from winning this event from D. Perry, being runner-up to him, and Reg Ward taking third place. Ray shot very well all day, taking all events, making a score of 65/65 for the day. The 10-bird S'stake was divided by three, Ray Wighton, D. Taylor and D. White shooting very well in this event.

I would like to congratulate Ray on his very fine effort, and thanking the shooters from other clubs for coming along to make a good day's sports.

(C. H. Ford, Hon. Sec.)

**EASTERN GOLDFIELDS (W.A.), 22/10/67.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 16. Result: 20-bird S.B.: 1st, O. Bennetts.

Weather conditions were fine, but a little on the warm side, when the local club conducted a 20-bird S.B. event from club marks. This event was won in fine style by Owen (Longtack) Bennetts, who came all the way from "Hoits" Territory to give us a lesson in single-barrel shooting.

Owen won the event outright with 19/20. Pressing the winner was Frank Martin with a well-shot 18/20; well done, Frank, keep up the good work and it won't be long before the handicapper has to adjust your mark to 18 yds. A 10-bird S'stake followed the above shoot and the following shooters recorded a possible: O. Bennetts, T. Stelling, B. Pascoe, W. Montgomery, L. Nangle and J. Lithgow. The shoot-off was won by J. Lithgow from L. Nangle after Nangle missed a sitter, and straight away Lithgow donned a screaming left swinger.

Our next shoot is the final of Ismay and Gindalbie Cups, so the attendance should be good.

(J. Lithgow, Hon. Sec.)

**ECHUCA (V.), 11/11/67.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: 6 possibles. No. 2, Club D'ville Doubles Sparrows C'ship: 1st, A. James - R. Lamb, 12/12; 2nd, C. Johnson - K. Shearer, 11/12. No. 3, Trophy H'cap: 1st, L. Scriven, 34/34; 2nd, P. Jamieson, 33/34; 3rd, J. Jamieson, 24/25.

Conditions were ideal for shooting and once again the D'ville Doubles C'ship was won by Alf James and Dick Lamb after a very short shoot-off. The H'cap event was almost a family affair when John Jamieson and son Peter pushed veteran Lou Scriven along to eventually be shot out by Lou. This was indeed a fine effort by Peter (an ex-front marker), who was game enough to finish second in front of his father. Congrats. to all place-getters.

(R. Adamson, Hon. Sec.)

**EUROA (V.), 28/10/67.** — Weather conditions: fine (Night shoot). Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: J. Cooper, B. Hall, G. Saglietti, K. McKendrick, R. Barnes. No. 2, 15-bird D.B.: F. Jones, 1st; K. McKendrick, 2nd; A. Jones, 3rd. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: S. Singleton, K. McKendrick, div. 1st; D. Donovan, 3rd.

Visitors from Benalla, Shepparton, Seymour, Tatura. Fine night's shooting. Many thanks to the ladies for supper.

(R. Halsell, Hon. Sec.)

**FLINDERS ISLAND (Tas.), 26/11/67.** — Weather conditions: gusty winds. Attendance: fair. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts. (comp. div.): T. Harper, 1st, 30/30; 2nd, W. Iles, 28/30. No. 2, Club D'ville Doubles C'ship (15 pairs): W. Iles - D. Gavin, 1st, 29/31; T. Harper - T. Towns, 2nd, 28/31. No. 3, Club Mixed Birds C'ship: T. Towns, 1st, 15/20; W. Iles, 2nd, 36/42; T. Harper, 3rd, 35/42.

Weather conditions for our monthly shoot were extremely adverse for shooting, the strong, gusty winds making it impossible for high scores to be recorded.

Our first event was a 10-bird Pts., which was won by T. Harper, 30/30, with the only full score. The second event, our Club D'ville Doubles C'ship, was won by W. Iles and D. Gavin, 29/31, from T. Towns and T. Harper, 28/31, after a short shoot-off. The third event, the Club Mixed Birds, was won outright by veteran Tom Towns, 15/20. T. Harper and W. Iles shot off for minor placings, with W. Iles, 36/42, 2nd; T. Harper, 35/42, 3rd.

Both T. Harper and W. Iles shot well to share in all events on the programme, which included the last two championships for 1967.

(W. J. Iles, Acting Sec.)

**FOSTER (V.), 11/11/67.** — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 12. Results (Novelty Shoot): No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (12 yds.): 5-bird D.B. (25 yds.): G. Mowat, C. Arnup, A. Cripps, R. Barlow, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. S. Rise: A. J. Morris, K. Brown, P. Kuyler, K. Patterson, R. Barlow, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. (sitting position): A. J. Morris, A. Cripps, J. Green, K. Patterson, R. Barlow, 10/10. No. 4, 10-bird Pts. H'cap: equal 1st and 2nd, J. Green, K. Patterson, 30/30; 3rd, K. Brown. High Gun: 1st, K. Patterson, 39/40; A. Cripps, J. Green, R. Barlow, equal, 38/40; shoot-off for 2nd and 3rd trophies: 2nd, R. Barlow, 46/43; 3rd, A. Cripps, 49/53.

Weather conditions were very good, but a poor attendance. Shooters came from Yarram, Korumburra and Foster.

Many thanks to kindergarten ladies for an excellent afternoon tea. Also thank you to Terry for doing the trap work.

(Dorothy Cripps, Hon. Sec.)

**FRANKSTON (V.), 18/11/67.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 47. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. H'cap Pts. (C.D.): F. Spicer, J. Rodgers, G. Farrer, div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, F. Buchan (re-handicap); 2nd, J. Gooley; 3rd, L. Phillips Jnr. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. (5-16 yds., 5-24 yds.): 1st, G. Martin; 2nd, L. Phillips Jnr.; 3rd, N. Miller. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: 1st, G. Wickes; 2nd, L. Ferguson; 3rd, J. Gooley.

Weather conditions were excellent for the shoot on Saturday, 18/11/67. A fair attendance, but still some very good shooting. Winner of the main event, Fred Buchan, 28/28; runner-up, John Gooley, 28/29, and third, Lindsay Phillips Jnr., 27/29.

The club Xmas shoot will be on Saturday, 16/12/67, when a good muster is expected. A comprehensive programme has been drawn up for 1968, and is in the hands of the printers. Members are advised on receiving same to keep it in a handy place for reference purposes.

(C. D. Wilson, Hon. Sec.)

**GEELONG (V.), 28/10/67.** — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 26. Results: No. 1, 10 targets: G. Smith, D. Holmes, C. Bath, A. Coleman, A. Wembridge, R. Green, J. Walls, 9/10, div. No. 2, Club D.B. Sparrow: 1st, S. Walker, 20/20; 2nd, G. Norman, 23/24; 3rd, B. Wembridge, 22/24. No. 3, 20-target Trophy: M. Coots, 1st, 20/20; C. Smith, 2nd; L. Worland, 3rd; B/M., R. Green; F/M., D. Holmes.

Quite a windy day for the Club D.B. Sparrow C'ship, which was won by our Colac friend Stan Walker with the only possible, 20/20; 2nd, George Norman, shooting it out with Barry Wembridge, 3rd. The Handicap was won by M. Coots, 20/20; G. Smith, 2nd; Len Worland, 3rd; B/M., Ron Green, and F/M., Don Holmes.

(R. W. Green, Hon. Sec.)

**GOLD COAST (Qld.), 12/11/67 (Day).** — Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, 15-target D.B.: div. B. Mackey, D. Smith, R. Porter, W. A. Gordon, C. Culley, P. Kilner, G. Hogarth Jnr., A. Marstella, C. Milburn, T. Soames, I. Bambray, H. Carne, 15/15. No. 2, Genge Martin Perpetual Trophy (20-target D.B.): 1st, L. W. Mann (Tenterfield), 38/38; 2nd, P. Kilner (Brisbane), 37/38; 3rd, G. Hogarth Jnr. (Gold Coast), 27/28. No. 3, Martin - Wardrop Shield (20-target

## PERTH GUN CLUB (Inc.)

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**SATURDAY, 17th FEBRUARY, 1968, at 2 p.m.:**

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D.B., 16 yds.): Brisbane team, 100/100 (B. Mackey, D. Smith, J. Farrow, R. Warne-minde, D. Evans). No. 4, 15-target D.B.: div. D. Smith, R. Porter, A. Jarrick, W. A. Gordon, A. Marstela, T. Soames, R. Pennisi, 15/15. No. 5, 15-target S.B.: div. I. Bam-berry, and L. Ardron, 15/15.

This was the second time that the Genge Martin Perpetual Trophy (presented by Sue and Mike Martin) was shot for. Our con-gratulations go to Bill Mann for his excellent score, plus his defeat of two quite young, not bad shots. Somehow or other the Gold Coast Gun Club lost the Martin-Wardrop Shield; Brisbane gave us a thorough doing (Club Captain Ray Hogarth's only alibi was that his old adversary, Eric Wardrop, was on his way to hospital and his usual stimuli was missing; however, Eric, we will see you in Brisbane next time, purely to take it home again. Bruce Mackey's shoot-off with Doug Smith for the High Gun of the Shield was excellent with a score of 122/122; Bruce made it. High Gun and Club Mug over both the day and night shoots were won by Ian Bam-berry with the excellent score of 103/105).

We were pleased to have Mike Martin with us; having been in the Army for several months, he is headed for distant shores. Good luck, Mike.

(Leila L. Hogarth, Hon. Sec.)

GRIFFITH (N.S.W.), 28/10/67. — Weather conditions: hot, light wind. Attendance: 34. Results: No. 1, 5-target D.B.: 12 div. — P. Overs, K. Shields, C. Shields, M. Weymouth, H. Gibbs, R. Spratt, B. Shields, M. Stan-more, P. McWilliam, T. Salafia, W. Shields, S. Shields. No. 2, 5-target S.B.: 3 div. — P. Overs, M. Webb, C. Rotirola. No. 3, 15-target D.B. Trophy: 1st, P. Jenkin, 20/20; 2nd, K. Shields, 19/20; 3rd, P. Overs, 16/17.

This was our first club shoot for this summer under lights, and due to the number of shooters present, only three events were con-tested. Twelve shooters divided the E.O., only three shooters dividing the 5-bird S.B. Four shooters shot the possible in the trophy event, and the shoot-off only lasted 5 birds. Peter Jenkin from Hay won the first trophy; congrats., Peter. K. Shields was second and Peter Overs third.

Everyone voted the night shoot most pleas-ant and everyone enjoyed it.

(K. H. Sim, Hon. Sec.)

GUNNING - DALTON (N.S.W.), 18/11/67 (Day and Night). — Weather conditions: hot. Attendance: 16. No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: G. Catt, J. Westhorp, S. Joice, E. Eltrington, 10/10, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: G. Catt, O. Hallam, J. Westhorp, S. Joice, 10/10, div. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: G. Catt, John Medway, O. Hallam, C. Harries, K. Ridley, 10/10, div. No. 4, 20-bird Southern Dist. S.B. C'ship: G. Catt, outright winner, 20/20; C. Harries, 2nd; K. Ridley, 3rd; F.M., B. Elsmore. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. H'cap: S. Joice, 1st, 61/61; J. Westhorp, 2nd, 60/61; G. Harries, 3rd, 46/61.

Night Shoot. — Weather: hot, but came up windy. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: G. Catt, S. Joice, R. Churchill, 10/10, div. No. 7, 20-bird Southern Dist. D.B. C'ship: John Med-way, 22/22, after shoot-off with B. Churchill; G. Catt, 3rd. No. 8, 15-bird Pts.: N. Church-ill, 1st; R. Churchill, 2nd.

(T. J. Thorn, Hon. Sec.)

GUYRA (N.S.W.), 28/10/67. — Weather conditions: fine and hot. Attendance: 53. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. Stone Trophy: S. Cross, C. Fenwick, D. Curtis, L. Day, S. Smith, A. J. Smith, A. Puglisi, D. Mac-anish, D. Williams, A. McClenaghan, M. Cam-pion, H. Campion, P. Moffatt, K. Starr, D. Lockyer, D. Alt, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Club Trophy and Ballandean Team Shoot Match: Guyra Team, 100/100; Ballandean No. 1 Team, 98/100. Team Shoot High Gun: R. Varley, 81/81; A. McClenaghan, 80/81; shooters with 20/20: D. Curtis, L. Day, S. Smith, N. Smith, A. J. Smith, C. Evans, G. McCowan, B. Duff, V. Mackson, D. Mac-anish, G. White, A. Cregan, A. McClenaghan, H. Williamson, D. Alt, R. Varley, J. Pear-son, J. Roach, No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: N. Smith, A. J. Smith, D. Macanish, G. White, A. Mc-Clenaghan, I. Reid, C. Varley, P. Moffatt, B. Brazier, 10/10. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: N. Smith, N. Campion, H. Campion, I. Reid. High Gun: A. McClenaghan.

As has been the case over the last three years since the Chizzotti Shield has been competed for between Guyra and Ballandean, we had another tussle on Saturday. Con-gratulations to G. McCowan, B. Duff, V. Mackson, D. Macanish and D. Alt, the mem-bers of the Guyra team, who recorded 100/100 — this is the first occasion that a possible has been recorded since the competition started.

High Gun for the match was won by R. Varley, 81/81, with A. McClenaghan second, 80/81.

The club trophy was won for the third time by R. Varley; consequently a new tro-phy will be competed for next month.

High Gun for the day went to Alick Mc-Clenaghan, who was shooting in top form.

We were pleased to hear that we have been allotted the State Team Shoot next year — this will be advertised fully in the very near future.

F. R. Varley, Hon. Sec.)

HAMILTON (V.), 15/11/67 (Night shoot). — Weather conditions: good and light breeze. Attendance: 18. Results: No. 1, 5-target H'cap (C.D.): 5 shooters 5/5, div. No. 2, 5-target H'cap (C.D.): 3 shooters 5/5, div. No. 3, 15-target H'cap Trophy: 1st, G. Wel-lings, 19/20; 2nd, R. Griffin, 18/20; 3rd, I. Christie, 14/15.

This night shoot was arranged, and the proceeds to go to the Glenelg Base Hospital Appeal, Hamilton. Councillor Cook, the chairman of the appeal, attended our shoot and thanked all present for their support.

Ladies from the Girl Guides' Assoc. sup-plied supper, which was most acceptable.

(K. Ilsley, Hon. Sec.)

HAWKESBURY (N.S.W.), 4/11/67.—Wea-ther conditions: fair. Attendance: 76. Re-sults: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. (16 yds.): 23 div. No. 2, South Pacific D.B. C'ship: 1st, B. Kable, 78/78; 2nd, G. Kable, 77/78; 3rd, R. Hayes, 61/62; F.M., R. Hunt, 26/27. No. 3, Mick Smith Shield Teams' shoot: 1st, Hawkes-bury (L. Tosolini, R. Hunt, F. Denza, M. Brown, W. Clark), 276/300; 2nd, Sydney, 273/300; 3rd, Hawkesbury. High Gun: K. Soames Jnr., 60/60. No. 4, \$240 H'cap: 1st, B. Kable, 42/42; 2nd, F. Milligan, 41/42; 3rd, K. Soames Jnr., 26/27. No. 5, \$100 H'cap: W. Every, R. Barrett, W. Henderson, W. Rutty, C. Catt, R. Faunt, B. Kable, I. Mills, K. Loy, R. Clarke, P. Chodat, A. Falk, 15/15. No. 6, N.S.W. S.B. Night C'ship:

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1st, R. Faunt, 28/30; 2nd, R. Hayes, 33/36; 3rd, K. Williams, 32/36; F/M., D. Sullivan, 24/30.

Barry Kable had a great day, winning both the Day C'ship and the \$240 H'cap, finishing with a possible in the \$100 H'cap. Geoff Kable was close behind Barry in the C'ship, followed by Roy Hayes. Dick Hunt was the best F/M. and was also a member of the winning Shield team. Thirteen teams competed for the Shield, which was retained by Hawkesbury, just ahead of Sydney G.C. Keith Soames Jnr. won the individual High Gun trophy with the only possible. After the five possibles shot off in the \$240 H'cap, Barry Kable won the Winchester .243 Model 70, Terry Milligan the Winchester .22 auto, and Keith Soames Jnr. the AA cartridges.

When the barbecue and the Calcutta had been dealt with, Rus Faunt won the N.S.W. S.B. Night C'ship and the overall High Gun outright. Roy Hayes was second and Keith Williams third, Don Sullivan being the best F/M.

Our thanks go to Mick Smith for his High Gun trophy for the Teams event and for giving up his golf to present the shield. To Winchester-Western, through Les English, we are also very grateful for their very fine trophies.

Our ladies deserve a special mention for their work both before and during the shoot. Jim Hastie (one of the best referees in the game) was a great help throughout the day—thanks, Jim, and to the others who helped with the shoot.

(Adrian Hayes, Hon. Sec.)

**HAY (N.S.W.), 11/11/67.**—Weather conditions: hot day, light breeze. Attendance: 30. Results: No. 1, Hay G.C. Cup (20-bird H'cap): 1st, P. Jenkin, 51/51; 2nd, W. Ronald, 50/51; 3rd, T. Brosso, 38/39; F/M., G. Anderson, 37/38. No. 2, Club Deauville Doubles C'ship: 1st, J. C. Headon - N. Milli-

ken, 50/50 pr.; 2nd, L. G. Booth - M. Weymouth, 49/50 pr. No. 3, Mitchell Night Cup: 1st, Max Gibson, 20/20; 2nd, J. Pearson; 3rd, M. Valentine; F/M., R. Williams. No. 4, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, L. Booth, Max Gibson, 30/30.

These two cups signify our change to night shooting and are eagerly sought after. This year we were happy to welcome visitors from Griffith and Colleambally, and especially Emil Alberts and Ian Whytcross. Our visitors put up a good showing, but locals Peter and Wilson stacked up the half-century before quarter right gave Peter the margin—good shooting, chaps. Immediately afterwards Deauville specialists Jack and Norm notched 50 pair ahead of Lloyd and Milton.

Our new quartz iodine lights mounted in the traphouse really look like giving the ultimate to our night shooting, and Max Gibson ran away with the 53-year-old Mitchell Cup just to prove it.

(R. J. Neale, Hon. Sec.)

The **HERBERT RIVER G.C. (Qld.)** two-day Championship Shoot took place on Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 7 and 8. The principal event, the State Night S.B. C'ship (30 birds, 18 yds.) was evenly contested and was won by one of the most keenest shooters, J. Carrington of Townsville. He gave an outstanding and consistent exhibition of shooting during the Carnival, annexing a number of prizes, and his second State Night C'ship. He was unlucky in the High Gun Trophy when he tied with R. Russo and lost the shoot-off after a number of rounds were shot at. Both shooters received a round of applause. Mr. R. Russo showed excellent form by sharing in a number of events as well.

The President, Mr. S. A. Di Bartolo, in presenting the trophies, expressed great appreciation to the supporters of the club for making available the valuable trophies. He

also congratulated the shooters for winning the events, and the ladies for having provided a splendid high tea and meals.

(M. Forigliasso, Hon. Sec.)

**HOBART (Tas.), 25/11/67.**—Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 36 shooters. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Tower: S. Marshall, A. Smith, W. Potter, L. Witzerman, T. Richardson, R. Wighton, R. V. Conlan, A. Adams, T. Newman, 5/5, div. No. 2, Tasmanian Tower C'ship: 1st, T. Newman, 37/37; 2nd, L. Witzerman, 36/37; 3rd, R. Wighton, 25/26. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: D. Gray, D. Perry, T. Richardson, D. Taylor, H. Oakley, G. Richardson, D. Von Steiglitz, R. V. Conlan, L. Witzerman, 10/10. No. 4, 15-bird D.B. Front-markers' Cup: 1st, K. Barber, 25/26; 2nd, R. Bennett, 24/26; 3rd, D. Clark, 19/21.

Trevor Newman, with his usual brilliant form at the tower again, took out the State title after a break of three years. Having been without a tower for so long, most shooters were a little green, but soon overcame this, Trevor and Lance Witzerman being the only possibles. Congrats. to both; it was a great effort.

(Sperry Marshall, Acting Sec.)

**HOPETOUN (V.), 3/11/67.**—Weather conditions: good and dry. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: 8 possibles. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Trophy: 1st, R. Richard, 21/21; 2nd, R. Hudson, 20/21; R. Hatcher, 10/11. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. Trophy: J. Mitchell, R. Hatcher.

A very small field for the last night of the year's shooting. Eight possibles greeted the referee in the eye-opener. The 10-bird

Trophy went to R. Richard with a nice score of 21/21. The 5-bird Trophy was equal 1st to J. Mitchell and R. Hatcher, 10/10.

Once again I must thank the ladies for a very enjoyable supper, and thank them for their never-tiring efforts throughout the year's shooting. Thank you.

(A. R. Hudson, Hon. Sec.)

**HORSHAM (V.), 11/11/67.**—Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 38. Results: No. 1, 5-bird S.B. (16 yds.): div. R. Andrews, J. Standerwick, C. Nuske, M. Connelly, A. Dumesny, A. Aitken, J. Kneebone, N. Hinneberg, 5/5. No. 2, Wimmera Night S.B. C'ship: 1st, J. Hinneberg, 19/20; 2nd, C. England, 22/24; 3rd, E. Smith, 21/24. No. 3, 5-bird D.B. H'cap: div. S. Childs, R. Andrews, L. Gibson, G. Stanes, S. Cunningham, J. Ellis, B. Croser, R. Lynch, C. Ball, A. Dumesny, J. Hinneberg, A. Facchin, D. Scott, E. Smith, 5/5.

The Wimmera Night S.B. C'ship attracted a good field of 37 shooters, and was shot under perfect conditions. Congratulations to John Hinneberg on winning the title, also to Charlie England and our President, Ern Smith, on filling the minor placings. Seeing our President was among the trophy winners, Wally Oliver, our Vice-President, did the honours in presenting the trophies; he also presented Alan Dumesny with his 50 break badge, which he won at our previous shoot.

Many thanks to all the visitors who came along, some who travelled long distances. Once again a special mention of our ladies, who did their usual excellent work in supplying a welcome supper.

Bert Robinson, Hon. Sec.)

## KERANG CLAY BIRD CLUB (V.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

### NIGHT SHOOTING

SATURDAY, 17th FEBRUARY, 1968

— 7.45 sharp —

### Victorian Duck Opening D. Barrel Champ.

20 Birds from 16 yards. :: Sash 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and

Front-marker Trophies.

Nomination \$3.00 :: Optional Sweep \$1.00.

Shot under Championship Conditions.

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## KERANG CLAY BIRD CLUB (V.)

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### NIGHT SHOOTING

MONDAY, 19th FEBRUARY, 1968

— 8 o'clock sharp —

### 20-bird Double-barrel Handicap

\$400 — TROPHIES and CASH — \$400

Nomination \$10 :: Optional Sweeps \$1 each 10.

1st — "D" GRADE MIROKU U/O GUN.

2nd — .22 GEVARM RIFLE and 'SCOPE. :: 3rd — DINNER SET.

\$10 each — Yardage Prizes — \$10 each

12-16 yards, 17-20 yards, 21 yards and over.

Committee reserves the right to vary Programme if necessary.

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**KERANG (V.), 30/10/67.**—Weather conditions: fine, cold southerly wind. Attendance: 56. Results (Night shoot): No. 1, 5-bird D.B.; 28 shooters 5/5, div. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Kerang District D.B. C'ship; S. Fraser (Birchip), 26/26; R. Hammond (Kialite), 25/26; K. Hildebrand (Cohuna), 20/21; F/M., K. Frankling (Cohuna), 19/20. John Byron Shield (shot in conjunction): Kerang No. 1, 94/100; Cohuna No. 1, 90/100; Nyah, 88/100.

Fifty-six shooters contested the Kerang Dist. D.B. C'ship, with Stan Fraser (Birchip) winning his first championship. The John Byron Shield was shot in conjunction and 11 teams, representing Kerang, Cohuna, Quambatook, Nyah, Swan Hill and Birchip Clubs, took part. Kerang was represented by Bill Makeham, Frank James, Charlie Radcliffe, Rex Peacock and Don Matthews.

(R. Alister Walker, Hon. Sec.)

**KORUMBURRA (V.), 25/11/67.**—Weather conditions: calm and overcast, early, heavy rain later. Attendance: 56. Results: No. 1, 10-bird Pts. (C.D.); B. Kurrle, J. Hamblin, G. L. Williams, P. Barlow, 30/30, div. No. 2, 20-target D.B.; G. Smith, 56/56; 1st, F. Hill, 55/56, 2nd, G. Breman, 52/53, 3rd, No. 3, Club D.B. C'ship (20 targets, 16 yds.): R. Barlow, 73/73, 1st; W. Ewert, 72/73, 2nd; J. Nieuwburg, 46/47.

The E.O. surprisingly saw only four possibilities. B. Kurrle, J. Hamblin, G. L. Williams, P. Barlow, 30/30. The main event saw 56 shooters with 17 turning in possibilities. G. Smith, 56/56, took the Miroku Broadrib from F. Hill, 55/56. For someone who doesn't shoot much in open competition to go so far was a pretty good effort, Freddie. You will have to make do with the Bentley 100 shotgun. The .22 J.G.A. 1415 Rifle and 'Scope was won by G. Breman. The locals got amongst the yardage trophies, and it was very pleasing to see K. McGaw, 31/32, 12-14 yds., win Jun. case and cleaning kit donated by Mal Fuller; and his brother Peter, 26/26, win half-case cartridges in 15-18 yds. group.

The two boys shot well all day and our congratulations to both. The 19-22 yds. trophy shooting vests went to L. Mitchell with 30/31. Good to see you back out of hiding. Les. The 23-27 yds. telescope donated by Mal Fuller was won by J. Green, 24/25. The Club D.B. C'ship followed, and the rain started. To those who might like to know, as I write this Sunday (night) it is still raining. Two inches has fallen and the Districts local championship winner, Ray Barlow, was to the fore again with 73/73 to win; congrats, Ray. I hope mum likes the dinner service. To W. Ewert, 72/73, our commiserations. A sash must come your way sometime. Third place, 46/47, was filled by J. Nieuwburg.

The treasured I.C.I. gas stove for High Gun saw G. Smith and R. Ferris, 50/50, shoot it out. Stalwart visitor Bob ran out the winner.

To Mr. Berry (A.C.T.A.) and J. McInnes (I.C.I.) thank you for presenting the trophies and to all our visitors and helpers, our grateful thanks.

(John Green, Hon. Sec.)

**LILYDALE (V.), 28/10/67.**—Weather conditions: hot, gusty winds. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1, 15 birds: 1st, M. Moorfield, 15/15; 6 shot 14/15, div. — A. Ferguson, R. Henwood, E. Colautti, C. Gyngell, B. Douglas, R. Dinsdale. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. H'cap:

2 shot 20/20 and div. — C. Gyngell, G. Dryden; 3rd, R. W. Fox, 42/43. No. 3, 25 birds: 6 shot 25 off h'caps and div. — A. McCulloch, S. Stevens, R. Dinsdale, R. Madden, E. Colautti, W. Carlon.

Weather conditions for our shoot were somewhat unpleasant and so reflected in our attendance. However, as is most usual, the quality of shooting was ever foremost.

The main attraction for the day was the 20 birds D.B. Anniversary H'cap, worth \$200 in prize money. In this event we saw newcomer, George Dryden, and well-performed shooter Colin Gyngell shoot the possible.

In view of the adverse weather that prevailed, they decided to call it a day and div. the prize money. Colin Gyngell, as we all know, is no new-comer and such a win is nothing new to him. However, for George Dryden the position was somewhat different. George has only been in the game a little over twelve months and this was his first major success and was quite a good effort.

Third place in this event went to our President, Russell Fox. It was interesting to see the outcome of the shoot-off for third place between the six shooters who shot 19/20. A large number of birds were used mainly by Russell Fox and Kim Coridas before Russell took the placing with a score of 42/43.

In the 15 birds E.O. Max Moorfield made a good return to competition by shooting 15/15. Max has been acting in an official capacity with the Carlton Football Club and his competition shooting has been restricted because of this.

The skeet shooting continued on its merry way, with six shooters dividing the sweep-stake for the day. It is hoped to have the skeet set-up on a more defined pattern early in the New Year. This then should be an attraction to the skeet-shooting fraternity.

(J. H. Vasseur, Hon. Sec.)

**LISMORE (N.S.W.), 26/11/67.**—Weather conditions: fine; strong, gusty wind. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts. H'cap: K. De Saxe, D. Worrall, Dick Powell, F. Hoskins, 15/15. No. 2, 10-bird H'cap: P. Powell, D. Mount, D. Worrall, L. Roach, F. Hoskins, G. Ethell, 10/10. No. 3, 15-bird Pts. H'cap: P. De Wolf, Dick Powell, D. Worrall, 45/45. No. 4, 20-bird S.B. H'cap (Men's Mercers Trophy): 1st, D. Worrall, 20/20; 2nd, C. J. Lee, 32/33; 3rd, Dick Powell, 31/33. No. 5, 5 sparrows D.B. H'cap: C. J. Lee, P. Powell, L. Roach, D. Worrall, 5/5. No. 6, 6 prs. D'ville Doubles Sparrows: K. De Saxe - G. Ethell, Bill Anderson - R. Shepherd, 12/12. No. 7, Box Sweep: 1st, won by J. Bell from 30 yds.; 2nd, won by G. Ethell from 32 yds.; D. Mount was runner-up in both events.

The hot weather has been with us with a vengeance this week, and today was no exception. Judging by scores, the hot targets found it difficult to stick together, good breaks being the order of the day. "Yours truly" had a field day, winning the "Men's Mercers Trophy Event" and shooting possibles in all other events to boot — no doubt about an old automatic.

It was good to see Clarrie Lee on our tracks again, though Mrs. Lee was unable to make the trip. Clarrie shot well, especially in the trophy event, and may have done even better with Mrs. Lee's moral support.

We were pleased to welcome ex-Ipswich shooter, Paul de Wolf, and an old member, Jim Bell, both of whom put some very good

scores together. Hope to see you on our tracks again next month and in '68, Paul and Jim.

Afternoon tea was a welcome and refreshing break to the world's greatest pastime.

(D. S. Worrall, Hon. Sec.)

**MANNUM (S.A.), 5/11/67.**—Weather conditions: fine, gusty south wind. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, Eudunda Farmers' Trophy: 1st, D. Plummer, 19/20; 2nd, G. David, 18/20; 3rd, A. Cheliew, 16/20. No. 2, 10 targets off H'cap: J. Warnes, E. Spargo, 9/10. No. 3, 10 pr. D'ville Doubles: D. Plummer - J. Geroges, 19/20. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: D. Plummer, R. Simecock, 8/10; J. Warnes, R. Johncock, C. Thomas, 7/10.

Owing to the Birthday shoot at Mt. Barker, the number of shooters attending here today was small. Very pleasing to see some young shooters for first time, though, who also proved the makings of good shooters. The breezy conditions upset most shooters, especially when clays swung into wind. D. Plummer showed good judgment in gaining first place in three out of four events.

The committee was very pleased to see the young chaps and sincerely hope they appear regularly. Many thanks once again to the ladies for afternoon tea.

(R. H. Pym, Hon. Sec.)

**MANSFIELD (V.), 11/11/67.**—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: div. L. Parks, G. Huf, J. McDonough, K. McKendrick, S. Singleton, L. Shallard, W. Tremayne, C. Leatham. No. 2, 10-bird Trophy: 1st, S. Singleton, 21/21; 2nd, K. McKendrick, 23/24; G. Huf, 22/23; F/M., J. McDonough, 16/17. No. 3, 10 birds: div. J. McDonough, R. Yeates, K. McKendrick, L. Shallard, R. Smith, C. Leatham, D. McGuinness Snr., D. McGuinness Jnr.

Visitors from Euroa and Benalla. Congratulations to Syd Singleton of Euroa on his win in the trophy event. Thanks to the ladies who provided afternoon tea.

(C. W. Leatham, Hon. Sec.)

**MERSEY (Tas.), 18/11/67.**—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Pts.: 1st and 2nd, div. K. Lowry, D. Brett, 15/15; 3rd, div. S. Bott, D. Perry, 14/15. No. 2, Novice (5-bird S.B.): 1st and 2nd, div. P. Sheehan, R. Coventry, 4/5. No. 3, N.W. Dist. D.B. C'ship (20 birds): 1st, A. Bowering, 20/20; 2nd, G. Roberts, 19/20; 3rd, D. Brett, 19/21; F/M., M. Males, 16/20. No. 4, 15-bird D.B. H'cap: div. I. Rist, P. Thurley, S. Bott, 15/15. No. 5, 5-bird Walk-up: 1st, P. Thurley, 5/5; 2nd and 3rd, div. G. Roberts, D. Perry, 4/5. No. 6, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: 1st, P. Thurley, 10/10; 2nd and 3rd, div. D. Perry, W. Fisher, G. Johnson, 9/10.

Allan Bowering, after a spell of four months from the tracks, came out and won the N. West Dist. D.B. C'ship. Allan shot his 20 birds in great style and his was the only full score. Geoff Roberts shot well to take home the second trophy; Don Brett and Peter Thurley tied for the third placing, but it only required that extra bird to decide the winner. Don ended with a score of 19/21. Michael Males took home the front-marker trophy with a score of 16/20; this is Michael's second trophy over the last two shoots.

Club President, G. Roberts, presented the trophies to the lucky shooters, and Mrs. Roberts decorated Allan with the sash.

The ladies, as usual, served an excellent afternoon tea. Thank you, ladies.

(H. C. Neville, Hon. Sec.)

**MILDURA (V.), 10/11/67.**—Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: good. Results: Vic. S.B. Night C'ship: 1st, C. L. Barnes, 30/30; 2nd, R. Wakefield, 42/43; 3rd, J. Trask, 41/43.

The annual November shoot attracted good fields and in the opening event, the Vic. Night S.B. C'ship, all places were filled by competent shooters. Clarrie Barnes' effort in turning in the only possible was excellent shooting indeed. Place-getters also earned their share.

(W. H. Perry, Hon. Sec.)

## APSLEY GUN CLUB (VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23rd — 8 p.m.

Event 1 — EYE-OPENER: 5 Sparrows from 18 yards. Nom. 50c

Event 2 —

**VICTORIAN STATE DOUBLE-BARREL NIGHT SPARROW CHAMPIONSHIP**

Sash and Trophies. Nom. \$4.50

50c Optional Sweeps each 10 Targets.

Event 3 — \$50 CARTRIDGE HANDICAP: 10 Targets. Nom. \$2.00

50c Optional Sweeps each 5 Targets.

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**MILDURA (V.)**, 11/11/67. — Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: 49. Results: No. 1, Mildura G.C. Cup and Sash: 1st, R. J. Hammond, 34/34; 2nd, L. G. Connors, 33/34; 3rd, Dick Warren, 28/29. No. 2, \$100 H'cap: div. R. Warren, I. Wakefield, B. Bock, D. H. Moore, E. Bruce, P. Caddy, F. A. Barnes, L. Richardson, R. Ernhardt. No. 3, Laurie Bruce Memorial Trophy: 1st, R. J. Hammond, 73/73; 2nd, S. Scherger, 72/73; 3rd, I. Wakefield, 63/64. No. 4, North West D.B. C'ship: 1st, W. Perry, 48/48; 2nd, W. A. Commons, 47/48; 3rd, J. Doyle, 41/42. No. 5, North West S.B. Night C'ship: 1st, B. Bock, 21/21; 2nd, L. Richardson, 20/21; 3rd, J. Trask, 30/31. High Gun: L. Richardson, 103/105.

The high standard set by Clarrie Barnes in the opening event of the carnival continued along. R. J. "Dick" Hammond of Kyalite had a field day, scoring the main handicap, the cup and two additional yards to his handicap. One of the best exhibitions of handicap shooting was given by Stuart Scherger, who from 23 yds. shot 72/73, his only second barrel being the one that let him down. Congratulations on a fine effort, Stuart.

In the teams shoots the Darrel Gates Cup went to Pooncarie (F. A. Barnes, G. T. Wakefield, B. Bock, J. Johnston, and a ring-in from Speed, young Stewart McLeary). The "Page" Cup went to Mildura No. 3 team (P. Richardson, H. Moore, R. Ernhardt, L. Connors and J. Wilkinson). Les Richardson turned in a grand effort to win his first high-gun trophy and sash.

All things considered, the staging of the November shoot was quite satisfactory to the committee of the club, although, due to drought conditions, numbers were down a little.

Thanks to the ladies for their catering, so ably done. We all missed Les Dunn, who was not enjoying a forced stay in hospital. (W. H. Perry, Hon. Sec.)

**MOREE (N.S.W.)**, 4/11/67. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: L. Kee, T. Robinson, L. Buxton, 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Jackpot: L. Buxton, 1st. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: L. Buxton, 1st; F. Thompson, 2nd; F. Bardsley, 3rd. No. 4, 10-bird Pts.: E. Brown, 1st; F. Hamilton, 2nd; L. Buxton, 3rd.

Quiet shoot, due to some harvest operations taking place. Congratulations to L. Buxton on his excellent shooting. (F. M. Bardsley, Hon. Sec.)

**MT. GAMBIER (S.A.)**, 11/11/67. — Weather conditions: fine, but cold. Attendance: 25. Results: No. 1, 5-clay S.B. (18 yds., C.D.): K. A. Marks, M. Sullivan, 5/5; 4 with 4/5, div. No. 2, S.A. S.B. Night Sparrow C'ship (30 targets, 18 yds.): 1st, W. R. Millard, 25/30; 2nd, R. Griffin, 24/30; 3rd, T. L. Sims, 23/30. No. 3, \$200 D.B. H'cap (10 clay): B. Hetherington, K. A. Marks, P. G. Yoannidis, 10/10, div.

With six novices included in the attendance of 25 shooters, a rather disappointing nomination for the championship resulted. The sparrows proved too difficult for all shooters, and as a result, no possibles were scored and the placings were won outright. Congratulations to all prize winners.

Trophies were presented after another most enjoyable supper prepared by the associates. (Ian A. Marks, Hon. Sec.)

**NARACORTE (S.A.)**, 18/11/67. — Weather conditions: fine; strong, gusty winds. Attendance: 40. Results: No. 1, 4 pairs D'ville Doubles: div. W. King - F. Davis, J. Hinneberg - N. Hinneberg, M. Holloway - R. Millard, K. Flaherty - L. Holmes, K. Mules - K. Foster, G. Sharrock - M. Sullivan, P. Cleggett - M. Grigg, H. Baynes - C. Caskey, J. Hood - I. Grant. No. 2, State Deauville Doubles C'ship (20 pairs, 22 yds.): 1st, P. Mules - R. Mules, 20/20; 2nd, G. Sharrock - M. Sullivan, 23/24. No. 3, 10-bird H'cap: C. Copping, D. Kennedy, I. Grant, R. Reschke, N. Hinneberg, P. Cleggett, 15/15.

A very good attendance of shooters from far and wide attended for the State D'ville Doubles C'ship. Although the day was reasonably fine, strong, gusty winds made shooting difficult at times. Congratulations go to father and son pair, Bob and Phil Mules, who took out the championship by shooting the only possible 20/20. Second place went to G. Sharrock and M. Sullivan.

To the visiting shooters we say thank you for coming and making the day a success. To the ladies, thank you again for the delightful refreshments. (V. Grant, Hon. Sec.)

**NARROGIN (W.A.)**, 26/11/67. — Weather conditions: very gusty. Attendance: 13. Results: 30-bird S.B.: B/M. — R. Schmidt, 24/30; T. Ryall, 22/30; N. Broun, 21/30; D. Weise, D. Campbell, 20/30; D. Guest, 17/30. F/M. — G. Foale, 25/30; D. Mayfield, M. Bosworth, 22/30; D. Guest, K. Stuart, 21/30; C. Smith, 12/30; M. Johns (bird only), 26/30. Shocking day. Last leg of aggregate. Back-markers' Shield: won by N. Broun, and Front-markers' Shield by M. Bosworth. Norm Broun started four up for back-marker and only beat R. Schmidt by a bird. Max Bosworth had a comfortable win by 5 birds. Good to see Max Johns back again — a very nice 27/30; hasn't lost his touch. R. Schmidt won High Gun trophy and G. Foale the front-marker. (N. J. Broun, Hon. Sec.)

**NEW ENGLAND (N.S.W.)**, 12/11/67. — Weather conditions: fine, perfect. Attendance: 68. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 22 shot 10/10. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. C'ship (16 yds.): 1st, G. White, 141/141; 2nd, S. Horn, 140/141; 3rd, C. McIntosh, 50/51; 12-14 yds., S. Brazier. No. 3, 20-bird S.B. \$150 H'cap: 1st, E. Glasser, R. Shepherd, 20/20; 3rd, D. Cuninghame, D. Macansh, H. Campion, I. Reid, P. Moffatt, 19/20; best 12-13 yds., J. Durkin, 19/20; 14-15 yds., R. Futter, 19/20. No. 4, 20-bird Pts.: 1st, R. Varley, 60/60, 116/117; 2nd, B. Daley, 60/60, 113/117; 3rd, H. Young, 59/60, 176/177; Inter., J. Durkin, 59/60, 175/177. Club Teams' Shield (shot in conjunction: 1st, New England No. 1 (D. Macansh, C. McIntosh, R. Crothers, G. Evans, H. Young, D. Cuninghame), 285 pts.; 2nd, Guyra No. 1 (R. Varley, A. Cregan, C. Varley, G. White, H. Williamson, H. Campion), 282 pts.

A perfect, fine day welcomed our biggest crowd ever — some 68 shooters — coming from seven clubs, with five clubs being able to enter a team, Guyra entering four teams. The competition was very keen and five shooters recorded break badges, three qualifying for 50, and the highlight being the shoot-off for the New England D.B. C'ship, where G. White and S. Horn shot 141 and 140 respectively, which earned each a 150 break. Nice to see Eric Glasser win the High Gun

with 59/60, and a very popular win of Intermediate High Gun by David Cuninghame, who keeps the traps operating.

It was a great day, capped off by opening of new club building by A.C.T.A. Executive member, Mr. Athol Cregan.

The ladies must be congratulated on their catering — morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea and even steak tea for those who cared to stay on after dark.

(Allan H. Lewis, Hon. Sec.)

**N.S.W.G.C. (N.S.W.)**, 11/11/67. — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: P. Tuckett, R. Croft, R. Barrett, L. Lane, L. Talbot, M. Fuller, L. Nye, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird Pts.: P. Tuckett, I. Mills, L. Lane, G. Bookallil, N. Rogley, J. Chant, F. Ward, S. Cavallaro, F. Mitchell, 30/30. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Trophy: J. Chant, 35/35; K. Williams, 34/35; J. Worley, 39/40.

Les Lane, with 44/45, took the High Gun honours for the day.

(J. Evans, Sec.)

**NOORAT (V.)**, 29/10/67. — Weather conditions: windy. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 6-bird Walk-up: 1st, A. Bant, 6/6. No. 2, State Walk-up Day C'ship: 1st, D. Grummett, 19/20; 2nd, R. Griffin, 23/25; 3rd, N. Davis, 22/25; F/M., J. Twaddle, 14/20. No. 3, 15-bird D.B. \$100 H'cap: 1st, G. Wellings, 17/17; 2nd, R. Jorgenson, 16/17; 3rd, E. Bell, 15/16; M/M., G. Norman, 20/22; B/M., D. Grummett, 14/15.

The club held their second Sunday shoot with attendance of 24 shooters. Under windy

conditions David Grummett had a narrow win by 1 point to win the State Walk-up Day C'ship. Last April David came third in a State Night Walk-up C'ship. The \$100 H'cap was won by a visiting shooter from Hamilton, G. Wellings, with a good score of 17/17. He shot off with R. Jorgenson and E. Bell.

The club was very pleased to see the Showmen attend our shoot, as this was a big help to our attendance. These fellows come every year when the shows are around our district. The President, Les Reicha, thanked all shooters for attending and presented the trophies to the winning shooters. The ladies served afternoon tea.

(Ian G. Grummett, Hon. Sec.)

**NYAH (V.)**, 11/11/67. — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Attendance: 35. Results: No. 1, 5-target Pts. (off 18 yds.): R. Peacock, A. Walker, M. Tate, J. Wallis, T. Pearce, L. Brown. No. 2, 20-target Trophy and McRaith Shield: Shield won by Kerang No. 2 team (F. James, C. Radcliffe, R. Peacock, D. Mathews, W. Makeham). High Gun: J. Wallis, 1st; C. Radcliffe, 2nd; R. Fowler, 3rd; H. Brown, F/M. No. 3, D'ville Doubles Cup: F. James - D. Moore, 1st; L. Brown - R. Bolton, 2nd.

A good roll-up for this shoot to contest the McRaith Shield. Once again Kerang proved they were too good and took home the Shield, also the three trophies with it. Still not satisfied, Frank James and Dave Moore collared the D'ville Doubles Cup and took it back to Kerang also. Congratulations on a good night's shooting. (P. J. Williams, Hon. Sec.)

## PUCKAPUNYAL

### ARMY GUN CLUB • VICTORIA

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Patron: Major T. J. POOLE

**SUNDAY, 25th FEBRUARY, 1968**

— Commencing 1 p.m. sharp —

Event 1 — **10 BIRDS (POINTS), 16 yds.** Comp. Div. Noms. \$1.00

Event 2 — **Puckapunyal Club D.B. Championship**

**20 Birds D.B. from 16 yds.** Sash and Trophy for 1st, 2nd and 3rd Trophies. Opt. Sweepstake over-all, 50c. Noms. \$2.50

Event 3 — **Trophy Handicap**

**20 Birds D.B. Handicap Marks.** Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Opt. Sweepstake over-all, 50c. Noms. \$2.50

Event 4 — **Novelty Sweepstakes**  
**10 Birds Novelty.** Noms. \$2.00

— **Aggregate HIGH GUN over-all** —

**Ladies' Trophy. Afternoon Tea. Refreshment Booth. Children's Playground**  
**Barbecue Facilities. Cartridges.**

K. W. RAMSDALE, 25 Colenzo Crescent, Puckapunyal.



**PARKES (N.S.W.), 11/11/67.** — Weather conditions: fine, warm, windy. Attendance: 21. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: div. T. Powell, L. Tobin, J. Scott. No. 2, 20-bird A. G. Rowley Rose Bowl Shield: 1st, Parkes team (T. Powell, G. Wright, C. Bradley, I. Williams, L. Tobin, R. Ellison). No. 3, 15-bird D.B. Sparrows Trophy: 1st, J. Scott; 2nd, T. Golding; 3rd, L. Tobin. No. 4, N.S.W. D'ville Doubles Sparrows C'ship: 1st, R. Ellison-T. Golding; 2nd, J. Watts-T. Powell. No. 5, Mid-West S.B. C'ship: 1st, J. Scott; 2nd, J. Watts; 3rd, R. Ellison; F/M., L. Hansen. No. 6, 20-bird D.B.: div. G. Wright, L. Goodacre, H. Jaques, J. Nash, I. Williams. No. 7, 10 pr. D. Rise: div. T. Powell, J. Scott, J. Nash.

The most outstanding shooter of the day was Jim Scott. Jim shot every bird in the five advertised events and won the special prize of one gent's wristlet watch. Jim also took first prize in the D.B. Sparrows Trophy and the Mid-West S.B. C'ship events and shared in two sweeps.

The strong wind played havoc with some of the shooters' scores, but nevertheless some fine scores were recorded. Altogether an interesting day's shooting.

(K. R. Hall, Hon. Sec.)

**PERTH (W.A.), 2/12/67.** — Results: Commonwealth Night Skeet C'ship: 1st, R. H. Bailey, 47/50; 2nd, D. W. Cumming, 44/50; 3rd, E. Metcalf, 42/50.

(J. G. Spark, Hon. Sec.)

**POONCARIE (N.S.W.), 28/10/67.** — Weather conditions: windy and dusty. Attendance: 48. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: 17 possibilities — M. Sims, A. Langsford, J. Owen, R. Wakefield, I. Wakefield, A. W. Barnes, W. Maddocks, R. Warren, D. Lambert, R. Treloar, G. Byrnes, K. Flaherty, L. Richardson, J. Cutting, B. Bock, A. C. Barnes, E. Owen. No. 2, I.C.I. Trophy: 1st, B. Bock, 56/56; 2nd, J. Owen, 55/56; 3rd, D. Bennett, 53/54. No. 3, Pooncarie G.C. H'cap: 1st, S. Barnes, 59/60; 2nd, W. Maddocks, 58/60; 3rd, W. K. Wakefield, 37/38. No. 4, N.S.W. Mixed Birds Sparrow C'ship: 1st, W. Maddocks, 32/35; 2nd, W. K. Wakefield, 28/35; 3rd, J. Wilkinson, 22/25. F/M. trophy on C'ship: B. Bock, 19/25. High Gun on Events 2, 3, 4: W. K. Wakefield, 57/60.

Although our State title shoot was held in extremely bad shooting conditions, with hot, gusty winds and a lot of dust, there was some very good shooting done on the day. The first 10 birder sweepstake was shared by 17 shooters shooting the possible. The next event was the I.C.I. Trophy, which was very ably won by Brian Bock, shooting 56/56, with J. Owen second, 55/56, and Dennis Bennett, 53/54, third.

The Pooncarie Gun Club H'cap (first prize a Stirling Broadrib U. & O.) was won by Stephan Barnes, shooting 59/60, with Warren Maddocks second, 58/60, and Bill Wakefield third, with 37/38. Congratulations, Stephan, Warren and Bill.

The New South Wales Mixed Birds Sparrow C'ship was next on the programme, with Warren Maddocks and Bill Wakefield shooting 23/25. Darkness beat us for the shoot-off, and this was held next day (Sunday), with the winner Warren Maddocks, shooting 32/35, and Bill Wakefield second, shooting 28/35. Jack Wilkinson was third with 22/25. Front-marker for this event went to Brian Bock with the good score of 19/25. Congratulations, chaps.

On behalf of the club, I would like to thank Rollo Treloar for marshalling the

shoot and also making the I.C.I. trophy available to us.

In conjunction with the Pooncarie Gun Club H'cap the "Tarcoola Shield" was shot for, and after the Broken Hill team and Pooncarie team tying with 96/100, another round was shot, with Broken Hill coming out the victors with 120/125 to 118/125. Congratulations, Broken Hill, whose team was R. Wakefield, I. Wakefield, A. Langsford, J. Cutting and W. Maddocks.

The High Gun for the programme was won by a very good supporter of our club, Bill Wakefield, 57/60. Congratulations to Brian Bock for shooting his 75 break.

Once again our ladies' committee excelled in the catering and, against very adverse conditions, did a wonderful job. Thanks, ladies.

(J. H. Trask, Hon. Sec.)

**PUCKAPUNYAL (V.), 26/11/67.** — The Club Christmas shoot was shot on Sunday, Nov. 26, 1967, in cold, blustery and showery conditions. A comparatively small turn-up for the S.B. and D.B. C'ships. Twenty-five shooters attended. Event 1, the 10-bird Pts., failed to produce a clean card; however, five shooters returned their cards with 29/30. The second event, the Club Christmas S.B. C'ship, saw only two shooters turn in 20/20's, Alf James and Bill Abbott; in the short shoot-off Alf missed his 22nd, leaving Bill the sash and trophy with 22/22. In the shoot-off for third place, Bill Dalzell, J. Henwood and Kev. Ramsdale fronted. The placing finally going to Kev. with 26/27. Front-markers' went to Gene Truan of Puckapunyal Club.

The next event, the Club Christmas D.B. C'ship, only two full scores were chalked up, Gerry Smith and Kev. Ramsdale, with the sash and trophy eventually going to Gerry with 35/35, Kev. second with 34/35. In the shoot-off for third, Fred Crawford outlasted his opposition to take third honours with 33/34 from Bill Abbott, Alf James, Bob Tait, Tom Spence and Eric McCullough. Front-markers' went to Bob Tait.

The final event was a novelty sweepstake off 16 yds., which was tied by Bill Abbott and Gerry Smith with 10/10's.

The High Gun went to Bill Abbott with 74/77 — a very commendable effort, considering the blustery conditions. The ladies' trophy was won by Mrs. Kielly.

In his closing address after the shoot presentations the club President conveyed to all shooters and their families best wishes from the Puckapunyal Club for the forthcoming festive season and good shooting for 1968.

(K. W. Ramsdale, Pres.)

**QUAMBATOOK (V.), 4/11/67.** — Weather conditions: very strong cross wind. Attendance: 35 day, 26 night. Results: No. 1, E.O.: 17 shot 5/5. No. 2, 20-target H'cap Trophy: Only three shooters shot possible, 20/20, N. Haslem winning from P. O'Laughlan, and W. Makeham, 3rd. No. 3, \$390 Mallee Dist. D.B. C'ship: 8 shot 20/20, S. McCleary winning from R. Peacock, 2nd; M. Nalder, 3rd. No. 4, E.O. Pts.: 8 shot 15/15. No. 5, Mallee Dist. S.B. C'ship: 3 shooters shot 19/20 — 1st, J. Wallis, winning with 23/24; R. Ferrier, 22/24; M. Nalder, 3rd, 21/23.

Very good attendance for the day, a nasty cross wind making targets dance. Three shot 20/20, quite a few shot 19/20. Championship event saw 8 shoot 20/20. Night still very windy and cool. No possibles in S.B. C'ship: three 19/20.

Day and night well up to our usual standard, drought keeping some regulars away.

My advice is if there is a hare on the estate, shoot at it.

Ladies were up to their usual standard with the usual cuppa. Last report before Xmas, so Xmas greetings to all A.C.T.A. members.

(A. E. Richmond, Asst. Sec.)

**QUEANBEYAN (N.S.W.), 29/10/67.** — Weather conditions: fine and cool. Attendance: 41. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: G. Bookallil, R. Hawley, T. Pearson, J. Westthorp, G. Tilyard, J. O'Connor, K. Muir, A. Koorey, R. Maiden, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird Pts. Fred Morton Memorial Trophy: 1st, G. Bookallil, 30/30. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: M. Lyons, D. Byrne, R. Maiden, 25/25. No. 4, 10-bird S.B.: G. Bookallil, W. Jordan, J. O'Connor, K. Muir, 10/10. No. 5, 10-bird D.B.: A. Bookallil, J. Westthorp, K. Muir, J. O'Connor, M. Lyons, D. Byrne, B. Hawke, A. Povey, K. Robertson, 10/10.

Progress towards the club's renewed facilities have made sufficient ground to allow the first use of two of the three new electric traps. A good roll-up enjoyed this initial shoot.

(K. J. Muir, Hon. Sec.)

**RICHMOND (Qld.), 22/10/67.** — Weather conditions: calm. Attendance: 16. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: B. O'Neill, E. Bowman, div., 10/10, 1st; A. Scarr, N. Richards, B. Hatfield, K. Kelman, div., 9/10, 2nd. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: B. Hatfield, 10/10, 1st; S. Tracey, F. Davis, B. O'Neill, D. Murray, div., 8/10, 2nd. No. 3, 10-bird D.B.: 10-bird S.B. (Club C'ship): A. Scarr, 30, won in a shoot-off from D. Murray, 29. No. 4, 5 prs. D'ville Doubles: A. Scarr - Mrs. Murray, D. Murray - F. Davis, 5/5, div. No. 5, 5 prs. D. Rise: A. Scarr, 10, 1st.

(J. Hatfield, Hon. Sec.)

**ROMA (Qld.), 28/11/67.** — Weather conditions: fine, windy. Attendance: 13. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: R. Perkins, W. Carne, I. Arthur, A. Bischoff, G. Bryant, 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird S.B.: I. Arthur, 19/20. No. 3, 20-bird Pts.: R. Perkins, 59/60; B. Cameron, 58/60. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: K. Cameron, R. Perkins, E. Denton, J. Bassett, B. Cameron, G. Bryant, 10/10. No. 5, 10 prs. D. Rise: A. Bischoff, B. Cameron, 16/20; G. Bryant, 15/20.

Despite windy conditions, an enjoyable and good day's shooting was had by the thirteen shooters present. The Feather-Gann Cup was shot for and it was won by Ian Arthur. This was a 20-bird S.B. event.

The second round of the W. H. Carne Trophy was shot for. Reg Perkins maintained his lead with some good shooting, getting 59 pts. in a 20-bird Point event. Best wishes for the next and final round, Reg.

(D. Arthur, Hon. Sec.)

**ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 5/11/67.** — Weather conditions: fine and mild. Results: No. 1, 15-target D.B. H'cap: F. Denza, R. Maso, P. Naylor, K. Williams, 15/15. No. 2, 15-target D.B. H'cap: F. Denza, R. Maso, F. Thompson, 15/15. No. 3, R.A.C. Trophy H'cap: W. Mooney, 1st; K. Williams, 2nd; F. Thompson, 3rd; R. Maso, B.M. No. 4, 10-target Pts. H'cap: R. Maso, K. Williams, 30/30; L. Crema, 29/30. No. 5, 10-target S.B. H'cap: K. Williams, R. McAllister, 10/10; F. Denza, 9/10.

The R.A.C. Trophy was over a 15-target D.B. H'cap. There were five possibles, W. Mooney, R. Maso, F. Thompson, L. Crema, K. Williams. Bill Mooney won the event

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with a final score of 21/21; Keith Williams was second, 20/21; Frank Thompson, third, 18/19, and Bob Maso won the back-marker trophy with 16/17.

(C. W. Plummer, Hon. Sec.)

**ROYAL AERO (N.S.W.), 19/11/67.** — Results: No. 1, 15-target D.B. H'cap: J. Boscoe, W. Every, D. Tatam, K. Williams, 15/15. No. 2, 15-target Pts. H'cap: W. Every, K. Williams, 45/45; Dr. W. Thurlow, 44/45. No. 3, County of Cumberland D'ville Doubles C'ship: Dr. W. Thurlow - D. Tatam, 1st; K. Soames Snr. - K. Soames Jnr., 2nd. No. 4, 5 prs. D. Rise (off 16 yds.): W. Every, L. Coppins (N.Z.), 10/10; M. Fuller, W. Craig, 9/10. No. 5, 10-target D.B. H'cap: J. Boscoe, W. Every, R. Clarke, P. Cartisino, 10/10.

Dr. Bill Thurlow and Doug. Tatam won the County of Cumberland D'ville Doubles C'ship outright with the only possible, 20/20; Keith Soames Snr. and Keith Soames Jnr. "ran up" for second place with 27/28, and Les English and Malcolm Fuller finished third with 26/28.

(C. W. Plummer, Hon. Sec.)

**SEYMOUR (V.), 4/11/67.** — Weather conditions: gusty winds. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. (16 yds.): 11 possibles. No. 2, Club D.B. C'ship (16 yds.): 1st, A. H. Jones, 40/40; 2nd, R. Halsall, 39/40; 3rd, L. Singleton, 27/28; F.M., G. Truan, 19/20. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. Cash H'cap: R. Barnes, J. McDonough, K. Ramsdale, J. Wettenhall, 10/10, div. No. 4, Novelty: 1st, K. Ramsdale.

A good attendance for our Club D.B. C'ship. Visitors were present from Euroa, Benalla, Tatura, Mansfield, Pucka, and Melb. Five scored the possible 20 in the C'ship. K. Ramsdale was first out, missing his first target, a tough left swinger that dipped in the breeze. Syd. Singleton retired soon after and Lance took third trophy after missing his 28th. Roy Halsall and Arch Jones continued until Roy missed his 40th release, leaving Arch winning the title. Front-marker trophy was won by Gene Truan of Pucka.

The President, B. Hall, welcomed F. Byers of the I.C.I., whose Company donated the first trophy in the C'ship. Fred then presented the trophies and thanked the club for a good day's sport. Our thanks go to the I.C.I. and also to the ladies who provided afternoon tea.

(A. H. Jones, Hon. Sec.)

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the grounds.

**S.A.G.C. (S.A.), 8/11/67.** — Weather conditions: cold. Attendance: 33. Results: No. 1, 15-bird D.B.: L. Holmes, W. Brown, R. Alvaro, A. Dalle-Molle, A. Schroeder, 15/15. No. 2, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: B. Glenn, J. Hutchings, T. Bruce, E. Boldrin, P. Mules, A. Dalle-Molle, 5/5. No. 3, State D.B. Night Sparrow C'ship: B. Glenn, 28/30; D. Kimber, 35/38; I. Campbell, 34/38. No. 4, Interned. D.B. Sparrow C'ship: L. Spizzo, 24/30; A. Dalle-Molle, 24/31; A. Gillett, 23/31.

Cold night, with only moderate scores recorded.

(F. J. Clark, Hon. Sec.)

**SOUTH BURNETT (Qld.), 22/10/67.** — Weather conditions: overcast but fine. Attendance: 73. Results: No. 1, Qld. D.B. Sparrows: 1st, N. Johnston; 2nd, J. Ross; 3rd, G. Darlington. No. 2, \$600 H'cap: First Leg—60%, T. Hauritz; 40%, div. G. Parker, C. Alexander, M. Thiele, S. Kentish, N. Johnston, M. Jones, G. Rawlings, S. Horn, J. L. Dickson; Second Leg: div. R. Britton, G. Hogarth, J. Homan, S. Kentish, G. Rawlings, L. T. Ivins, J. Ross, C. Condon. High Gun over both legs: S. Kentish, G. Rawlings. T. Hauritz. No. 3, Sth. Burnett S.B. C'ship: 1st, N. Shand; 2nd, G. Hogarth; 3rd, K. Braithwaite.

High-gun winner over the two-day shoot was ever-popular Joe Homan of Chinchilla. Joe shot consistently and figured in two events also. Intermediate high-gun winner was Noel Beeton of Condamine. Congratulations to Garry Darlington on winning the D.B. C'ship and running third in the Qld. Sparrows. Tom Hauritz continued his excellent form of late by cashing in on the \$600 H'cap. Neil Shand won the S.B. C'ship the hard way, with failing light creeping into the picture. Neil's shooting was consistent throughout, as his high-gun score was tied with Sel Horn's to finish just one behind the winner, Joe Homan.

Appreciation of our new club-house facilities was freely expressed by the many visitors and we can look forward to many bigger and better shoots in the future.

(L. T. Ivins, Hon. Sec.)

**SOUTHERN (S.A.), 29/10/67.** — Weather conditions: fine. Attendance: 53. Results: No. 1, 5-clay D.B. Pts.: 16 div. No. 2, 15-bird S.B. C'ship: 1st, E. Boldrin, 15/15; 2nd, R. Rossiter, 44/45; 3rd, D. Brown, 43/45; yardage, D. Jones, 19/21. No. 3, 20-bird D.B. Festival H'cap: 1st, F. Grey, 71/71; 2nd, D. Plummer, 70/71; 3rd, E. Boldrin, 36/37. No. 4, 15-bird D.B. Pts. \$50 H'cap: 1st, R. Rossiter, K. Flaherty, 45/45; 3rd, F. Grey, 44/45. High Gun: B. Glenn, 78/80.

With good shooting weather we had an excellent attendance of very keen shooters, as can be seen by the above scores. Congratulations to all the prize winners, but in particular to Fred Grey and D. Plummer, taking the major prizes of the day; also congratulations to B. Glenn for gaining the High Gun, dropping only 1 bird and 1 point, but not quite making the prize money—better luck next time.

Our afternoon teas today got away to a fine start, and with warmer weather approaching, we hope they continue to do so—thanking the ladies for a very fine spread. Thanking Phillip Mules for the fine trophy donated, and everyone for their attendance and participation.

(E. B. Kleinig, Hon. Sec.)

**TATURA (V.), 18/11/67.** — We held our monthly shoot in fine weather, with variable winds. Shooters from Echuca, Colbinabbin, Shepparton, Undera, and locals. After a 5-bird Pts., where 7 shooters div., the championships started. The Tatura and Dist. S.B. C'ship: 5 shooters got the possible—R. Halsall, L. Scriven, M. Adams, D. McGuinness Snr. After a short shoot-off L. Scriven proved too good and collected the sash and trophy with 29/29; R. Halsall close behind, 2nd, 28/29; D. McGuinness Snr. 3rd, 26/27. The Midlands Dist. D.B. followed: again 5 shooters got their 20—V. Ryan, L. Sim, F. Crawford, D. Rumbold, G. Ashman. After 12 birds V. Ryan was back in the shed, followed soon after by L. Sim and D. Rumbold, who was 3rd, 35/36. F. Crawford and G. Ashman settled down to see who was going to get the sash, etc. With superb shooting, F. Crawford won out, shooting 79/79; G. Ashman, 2nd, 78/79. Congratulations to both shooters, also congratulations and thanks to all the shooters who attended.

(A. Moles, Hon. Sec.)

**URANA (N.S.W.), 29/10/67.** — Weather conditions: strong and gusty winds. Attendance: 34 shooters. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B.: G. Livingstone, G. Finch, G. Craze, B. Bushby, T. Salafia, G. Edwards, possibles. No. 2, 5 D.B., 5 S.B.: T. Salafia, possible. No. 3, 5-bird D.B.: T. Salafia, G. Finch, G. Craze, G. Scherger, D. Radcliff, H. Jamerson, A. Santleben, possibles. No. 4, 20-bird D.B. Urana Dist. C'ship: 1st, T. Salafia; 2nd, G. Craze; 3rd, A. Jamerson. No. 5, 15-bird D.B.: A. Salafia, possible. No. 6, 3 Triple Rise: T. Salafia, A. Salafia, E. Vincent, D. Radcliff, 8/12.

(J. M. Finch, Hon. Sec.)

**VICTORIAN (V.), 1/11/67.** — Weather conditions: gusty winds. Attendance: 26. No. 1, 5-target Pts. (16 yds., cash div.): 7 shooters div. No. 2, Southern Dist. Night S.B. C'ship: 1st, R. Evans, 20/21; 2nd, R. O'Donnell, 19/21; 3rd, K. Edmunds, 24/26; F.M., F. Waddell, 16/20. No. 3, 15-target D.B. H'cap (cash div.): div. R. Morrison, R. O'Donnell, 15/15.

Ron Evans again showed us the way by winning his second sash in a row. I think that he used two different guns on both occasions. Nice to see you shooting so well, Ron. Bob O'Donnell just can't get that last target to win a sash. Well, it's no disgrace to lose to as good a shot as Ron, and it won't be long till you crack it for a sash, Bob. Ken Edmunds, not seen too often these days, looked the winner at one stage, but had to beat three others in the shoot-off for third. Frank Waddell, coming along nicely, won the front-markers'.

(J. Platten, Sec.)

**WAGGA (N.S.W.), 5/11/67.** — Weather conditions: fine and windy. Attendance: 36. Results: No. 1, 10 birds: 1st, D. Ratcliffe, D. Lucas; 3rd, J. Podmore, R. Hall, E. Vincent, K. Cox, T. Salafia. No. 2, Wagga and Dist. S.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Lucas, 28/31; 2nd, R. Podmore, 27/31; 3rd, W. Podmore, 18/21. No. 3, 3 Double Rises: div. B. Rook, J. Puntieri, D. Lucas, C. Vonthien, 5/6. No. 4, Wagga and Dist. D. Rise C'ship: 1st, J. Podmore, 15/20; 2nd, R. Podmore, 14/20; 3rd, B. Rook, 14/20. No. 5, 15 birds: div. R. Podmore, D. Ratcliffe, A. Baker, H. Cox, G. Casella, 15/15. No. 6, 10-bird Pts.: 1st, D. Ratcliffe, 30/30; 2nd, E. Vincent, T. Salafia, G. Lymbery, C. Vonthien, 29/30. No. 7, Miss-out Trophy: won by R. Podmore.

(D. Manton, Hon. Sec.)

**WALCHA (N.S.W.), 5/11/67.** — Weather conditions: stormy. Attendance: 8. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: S. Brazier, J. Gill, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: G. Ireland, A. J. Watts, 8/10. No. 3, 10-bird Pts.: G. Ireland, 30/30; J. Lisle, R. Kermode, 29/30. No. 4, 5 pr. D. Rise: A. J. Watts, 10/10; J. Lisle, R. Kermode, 9/10. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Doubles: R. Kermode - J. Brazier, G. Little - C. Fenwicke, 10/10. High Gun: G. Ireland.

(G. B. Little, Hon. Sec.)

**WANGARATTA (V.), 28/10/67.** — Weather conditions: good. Attendance: 41. Results: No. 1, half-round of Skeet: div. Newton Thomas, R. Siede, W. Delaney, G. Carroll, G. White, 12/12. No. 2, Vic. Skeet C'ship: won by G. E. Carroll, 26/26; D. O'Callaghan, 26/27, 2nd; R. Fallshaw, 36/37, 3rd. No. 3, D.T.L. (C.D.): J. Siede, N. Thomas, W. Delaney, R. Thornton, D. O'Callaghan, N. Johnson, C. Hanson, M. Landers, G. White, B. Peters, I. Heslop, K. Vincent, K. Lacey, D. Dent, D. Sliger, D. Glover, C. Dean, L. Coulston, V. Bussell, V. Ryan, I. Reith, E. Baldwin, 5/5. No. 4, Owens Valley D.B. C'ship: won by V. Ryan, 139/139; 2nd, G. White, 138/139; 3rd, Newton Thomas, 91/92. No. 5, full round of Skeet: div. G. E. Carroll, K. Paterson, 25/25. No. 6, 15-bird D.T.L.: div. V. Ryan, L. Sim, K. Vincent, 15/15. The Skeet teams match run in conjunction with the Vic. Skeet C'ship was won by the Metropolitan No. 2 team (W. Delaney, J. Sliger, D. O'Callaghan, R. Thornton, G. E. Carroll), 121/125. (S. K. Cordy, Hon. Sec.)

**WARRACKNABEAL DIGGERS (V.), 4/11/67.** — Weather conditions: very windy. Attendance: 23. Results: No. 1, 5 birds: G. Pike, B. Schilling, C. Nuske, S. Childs, N. Hinneberg, R. C. Lynch, J. W. Mitchell, K. Courdon, C. Dalton, E. A. Poulton, A. Dumesny. No. 2, Yauriambiack C'ship: 1st, R. C. Lynch; 2nd, J. W. Mitchell; 3rd, D. Kennedy. No. 3, 10-bird H'cap: div. C. Nuske, S. Childs, D. Kennedy, J. Lawlor, J. Ellis, E. A. Poulton, C. Ferrer, J. W. Mitchell. No. 4, 10 birds: div. C. Nuske, N. Hinneberg, F. Davis, D. Kennedy, J. W. Mitchell, J. Lawlor, E. A. Poulton, K. McGee.

There was a good muster of keen shooters. The day was windy and targets just got away. Scores were not very big, as four shooters got the possible in the main event, and Bob Lynch out-stayed the opposition. Congratulations to Bob and the place-getters.

(C. Ricketts, Hon. Sec.)

**WARREN (N.S.W.), 11/11/67.** — Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 12. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B. (off 16 yds.): B. Rowe, R. Kinsey, D. Hunt, N. Montgomery, D. Cosgrove, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. Club C'ship: D. Hunt, 1st, 114/114; D. Cosgrove, 2nd, 113/114; R. Kinsey, 3rd, 44/45, from N. Montgomery and R. Lane. No. 3, 25 Mixed Birds Founders' Trophy: D. Hunt, 1st, 24/25; D. Cosgrove, 2nd, 23/25; D. Barton, N. Montgomery, F. Firth, 22/25. Night—No. 4, 10-bird D.B. Sparrows (off 16 yds.): D. Barton, 9/10. No. 5, 20-bird D.B. Night C'ship: N. Montgomery, 1st, 19/20; D. Hunt, D. Cosgrove, I. McCalman, D. Barton, 18/20. No. 6, 15-bird D.B. H'cap: I. McCalman, 14/15.

Attendance 12—very disappointing for our Club C'ship shoot under perfect weather conditions, which was won in fine style by Dennis Hunt, who was well past the 100 mark before he had to call on his second barrel, 114/114, from Des Cosgrove, who was also in great form with 113/114; R. Kinsey, 44/45, from N. Montgomery and R. Lane.



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## Sunday, 25th February, 1968

Commencing 9.00 a.m. Sharp.

- Event 5 — N.S.W. STATE TEAMS' SHOOT  
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The Facenders Trophy, over 25 mixed birds, which is a yearly event and only shot for on our club championship day, was also won by D. Hunt, 24/25, missing his third last bird. Congratulations, Dennis, on the double, D. Cosgrove again filling second place (hard luck, Des), 23/25.

The Night C'ship was won by N. Montgomery, 19/20; congratulations, Norman. A very enjoyable afternoon and night's shooting held by all, with a very enjoyable barbecue tea.

Best breaks for afternoon: D. Hunt, 124/124; D. Cosgrove, 123/124; R. Kinsey, 54/55.  
(R. G. Deacon, Hon. Sec.)

WARRNAMBOOL (V.), 11/11/67.—Weather conditions: excellent. Attendance: 24. Results: No. 1, E.O.: D. Grummett, M. Holloway, N. Davis, G. Wellings, M. Sullivan, L. Henry, L. Reicha, J. Boyle, H. Smith, S. Rentsch. No. 2, Mt. W'bool and Dist. D.B. C'ship: 1st, D. Grummett, 115/115; 2nd, N. Davis, 114/115; 3rd, M. Holloway, 72/73. No. 3, 20-bird Trophy: 1st, H. Smith; 2nd, S. Rentsch; 3rd, G. Wellings.

David Grummett, in winning the Mt. Warrnambool and District C'ship with a score of 115, set a record break for the Warrnambool ground; congratulations, David. Great shooting also by Noel Davis to run him to this score.

(R. G. Kenneally, Hon. Sec.)

WARWICK (Qld.), 5/11/67.—Weather conditions: hot and breezy. Attendance: 14. Results: No. 1, 5-bird Pts.: J. Crothers, P. Wickham, V. Crothers. No. 2, 20-bird D.B. Pts. Trophy: 1st, C. Lee, 92/96; 2nd, V. Weidman, 91/96. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: N. Smith, C. Evans, J. Crothers, 10/10, div. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: C. Lee, N. Smith, V. Crothers, C. Evans, A. Smith, 10/10, div. No. 5, D.B. Miss-out: J. Crothers, P. Wickham, E. Anderson, V. Crothers, div.

Congratulations to Clarrie Lee on his performance. Shows he has not lost his spark yet. Good to see madam President, Mrs. Clarrie Lee, back with the club, looking so well after her illness.

(Vincent J. Crothers, Hon. Sec.)

WESTERN SUBURBS (V.), 12/11/67. — Weather conditions: fine, warm, slight wind. Attendance: 9. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: G. Smith, 35/35. No. 2, 10-bird D.B.: div. W. Markham, D. Hyett, 10/10. No. 3, 10-bird S.B.: G. Smith, 10/10.

A very poor attendance for such ideal conditions. Congratulations to Gerry Smith with a fine 35 straight in the first event to take the money from D. Hyett, 34/35, and K. Wallace, 14/15. W. Markham and D. Hyett divided the second event, with Gerry Smith bobbing up again in the third event with the only possible.

(D. Hyett, Hon. Sec.)

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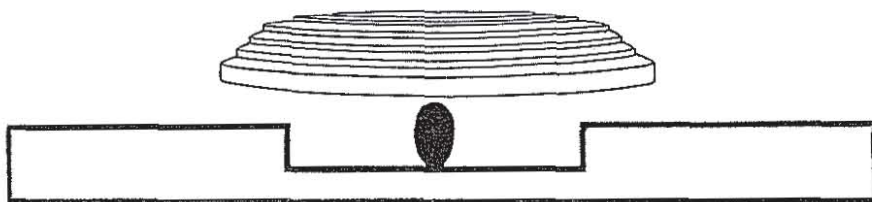
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**WINGADEE (N.S.W.)**, 4/11/67.—Weather conditions: cloudy and cool. Attendance: 11. Results: No. 1, 5-target D.B.: D. Barton, B. Fagan, D. Taylor, No. 2, 10-target S.B.: B. Fagan, C. Dickson, J. Taylor, No. 3, 10 prs. D.R. Club C'ship: D. Taylor, 17/20; C. Taylor, 16/20; D. Barton, 15/20. No. 4, 20-target D.B.: D. Barton, B. Fagan, 19/20; J. Taylor, 18/20. No. 5, 5-target Pts.: D. Barton, No. 6, 5 prs. D. Rise: D. Taylor, 9/10.

(M. Taylor, Hon. Sec.)

**SUTTON FOREST (N.S.W.)**, 12/11/67.—Weather conditions: calm and hot. Attendance: 28. Results: No. 1, 10-bird D.B.: K. Perkins, A. Keeling, I. Mills, P. Lace, J. Stephenson, A. Vost, L. Chodat, 10/10. No. 2, 10-bird S.B.: W. Every, J. Arkwright, 10/10. No. 3, 20-bird Berrima District S.B. C'ship: 1st, P. Lace, 22/22; 2nd, L. Boniface, 21/22; 3rd, K. Perkins, 23/23; F/M., F. Rapley, 18/20. No. 4, 10-bird D.B.: K. Perkins, L. Boniface, B. Ellsmore, F. Rapley, W. Every, I. Mills, B. Palk, J. Arkwright, A. Vost, C. Tickle, R. Hayes, P. Lace, 10/10. No. 5, 5 pr. D. Rise: I. Mills, 10/10, 1st; F. Rapley, P. Lace, 9/10, 2nd. No. 6, 10-bird D.B.: L. Boniface, P. Chodat, C. Tickle, I. Mills, R. Hayes, 10/10.

Fine, hot weather for the shoot of Nov. 12. The main event was the Berrima Dist. S.B. C'ship, which resulted in only two possibles, both shooters coming from the South Coast. P. Lace winning from L. Boniface. There was a shoot-off between K. Perkins and R. Faunt, the former winning the trophy for third place. A new shooter at the club won the front-marker trophy, F. Rapley of Tahmoor.

(June White, Hon. Sec.)

**TAMWORTH (N.S.W.)**, 5/11/67.—Weather conditions: cloudy, with gusty winds. Attendance: 20. Results: No. 1, 10-bird S.B.: A. Cregan, S. Staughton, D. Cassin, L. Bull, 10/10. No. 2, North Dist. S.B. C'ship: D. Cassin, 37/37, 1st; H. Williamson, 36/37, 2nd; L. Smiles, 12 ydr. No. 3, 15-bird Pts. Trophy: J. Cassin, 60/60, 1st; S. McMaster, 59/60, 2nd. No. 4, 20-bird Cash H'cap: I. Reid, H. Williamson, 20/20. No. 5, North Dist. D.B. Sparrow C'ship: J. Cassin, 20/20, 1st; A. Reed, I. Reed shot off for 2nd—A. Reed, 20/21; I. Reed, 19/21; C. Herbert, 12 ydr. No. 6, 10-bird Cash H'cap: A. Cregan, J. Cassin, I. Reed, K. Morris, J. Mackson, R. Hopper, H. Williamson, D. Cassin, S. McMaster, B. Gittoes, 10/10—shoot-off: J. Mackson, 25/25; J. Cassin, 24/25.

(T. R. Thompson, Hon. Sec.)

**TOOWOOMBA (Qld.)**, 12/11/67.—Weather conditions: fine and warm. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 16-bird S.B.: 1st, G. McKean, 15/15; 2nd, R. Wells, 14/15. No. 2, 20-bird D.B.: 1st, E. Anderson, 20/20; 2nd, J. Searle, 19/20.

(J. McKinney, Hon. Sec.)

**SEBASTOPOL (V.)**, 6/11/67.—Weather conditions: fine and cold. Attendance: 15. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Pts.: B. Brown, D. Davenport, div. No. 2, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: K. Fisher, 46/46; A. Shepherd, 45/46; R. Eason, 34/35. No. 3, 10-bird D.B. H'cap: K. Fisher, 18/18; B. Brown, 17/18; R. Eason, 12/13.

Our club once again entertained the Showmen to a night of shooting. Two Showmen divided the eye-opener, B. Brown and D. Davenport, 15/15. The second event was won

by K. Fisher with the fine score of 46/46, with A. Shepherd second with 45/46 and R. Eason third, 34/35. The next event was won by K. Fisher, 18/18; second, Showman D. Brown, 17/18, and third, R. Eason, 12/13. Congratulations to K. Fisher, who did not miss a bird, finishing with 69/69; also to A. Shepherd, who got his 50 break.

(H. J. Garrett, Hon. Sec.)

**YARRAWONGA (V.)**, 25/11/67.—Weather conditions: very windy and rough. Attendance: 19. Results: No. 1, 5 prs. D. Rise: 4 cut—V. Ryan, K. Hodge, G. Kennedy, J. McGraw, No. 2, Yarrawonga D. Rise C'ship: 1st, K. Hodge; 2nd, D. Edwards; 3rd, J. McGraw, No. 3, Murray Valley Mixed Birds C'ship: 1st, V. Ryan; 2nd, J. McGraw; 3rd, D. Edwards, No. 4, 10 targets: 4 div.—A. Jamieson, H. Jamieson, V. Ryan and J. Burwood.

A very windy, dusty day, also a little bit of that forgotten element "rain"; nevertheless 19 shooters fronted up to put in some fair scores, considering. Four shooters with a score of 8 divided the 5 pr. E.O. In the D. Rise C'ship we saw K. Hodge winning with 18, then three with 16. The shoot-off leaving D. Edwards 2nd, J. McGraw 3rd, with J. Gray missing out on a place.

For the Mixed Birds C'ship by this time the wind was blowing a gale, but Vin Ryan shot a 22 out of 25, to be followed by J. McGraw with another 22/25. A. Jamieson, I. Gray and D. Edwards came in with 21. The 10-target shoot-off round resulted: Vin Ryan, 31/35, 1st; J. McGraw, 30/35, 2nd, and D. Edwards, 27/45, 3rd. The 10-bird Sweep was cut by A. Jamieson, H. Jamieson, V. Ryan and J. Burwood.

(James A. Gray, Hon. Sec.)

**YASS (N.S.W.)**, 12/11/67.—Weather conditions: hot and calm. Attendance: 31. Results: No. 1, 5-bird D.B. Sparrows: T. Frost, E. Elrington, J. Westhrop, K. Robertson, L. Bird, G. Catt, A. Martens, 5/5. No. 2, 20-bird S.B. Sparrow C'ship: 1st, D. Withers; 2nd, A. Morris; F/M., K. Robertson. No. 3, 15-bird \$100 H'cap: W. Jordan, E. Vincent, J. Westhrop, D. Withers, A. Morris, K. Oldfield, G. Catt, C. Harries, div. No. 4, 10 prs. D. Rise C'ship: 1st, D. Withers; 2nd, J. Thompson; F/M., E. Vincent.

There was a very good attendance of shooters coming from Wagga, Wollongong, Cootamundra, Crookwell, Dalton, Cowra, Gunning, Canberra and Sydney. With the two championships to be decided, and the \$100 H'cap, the club was very pleased to see a good roll-up of shooters and would like to thank all who travelled so far to make this day a success.

D. Withers had a real day out, winning both the S.B. Sparrow and the Double Rise Southern and Central District Gun Council C'ships, and he also shared the \$100 H'cap. Congratulations, Danny; just as well it was championships, or it would have meant another yard. Athol Morris was second and Keith Robertson front-marker in the Sparrows C'ship. Jim Thompson was second and E. Vincent front-marker in the Double Rise Championship.

(R. G. Smith, Hon. Sec.)

Due to lack of space some Notes are held over.



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- \*\* Denotes Referee Examiner
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| Akers, Reg (Charleville)     | 19 |
| Akers, Tom (Charleville)     | 23 |
| Allen, B. B. (Charleville)   | 20 |
| Anderson, D. (Katanning)     | 20 |
| Anderson, E. (Warwick)       | 19 |
| Anderson, R. (Katanning)     | 20 |
| Anderson, W. (Lismore)       | 14 |
| Antonini, L. (S.A.G.C.)      | 12 |
| Ardron, L. P. (Gold Coast)   | 20 |
| Ashworth, L. A. (Burdekin)   | 18 |
| Babington, E. N. (Colac)     | 13 |
| Bailey, H. (Darwin)          | 16 |
| Baker, Roy W. (Brisbane)     | 12 |
| Bamberry, I. K. (Gold Coast) | 18 |
| Bamberry, W. K. (Gold Coast) | 20 |
| Banister, D. E. (Burdekin)   | 16 |

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| Banister, W. J. (Burdekin)    | 13 |
| Banfield, A. J. (Huntly)      | 21 |
| Barnes, M. (Huntly)           | 12 |
| Barton, C. (Mt. Isa)          | 12 |
| Bassler, G. (Wyarama)         | 14 |
| Battersby, K. (Katanning)     | 15 |
| Baxendale, P. (Mt. Hagen)     | 12 |
| Beehag, M. (Deniliquin)       | 12 |
| Bell, F. (Burdekin)           | 20 |
| Bell, I. (Huntly)             | 12 |
| Bennett, S. (Colac)           | 20 |
| Bernardi, A. (Mt. Isa)        | 14 |
| Bird, L. F. (Cowra)           | 24 |
| Bonanno, R. S. (Burdekin)     | 14 |
| Bonato, P. (Burdekin)         | 17 |
| Bond, T. (Mt. Isa)            | 12 |
| Bookallil, A. (Berridale)     | 15 |
| Boote, J. (Alexandra)         | 16 |
| Bowman, E. H. (Richmond)      | 15 |
| Brodrigg, C. (Brisbane)       | 17 |
| Brosman, K. (Townsville)      | 15 |
| Brooks, L. (Metropolitan)     | 12 |
| Brown, K. (Korumburra)        | 16 |
| Bruce, E. (Mildura)           | 19 |
| Bruce, Dr. P. G. (Australian) | 12 |
| Bruni, S. M. (Wyarama)        | 14 |
| Buerchler, G. (Mt. Isa)       | 20 |
| Buhagiar, C. (Mt. Isa)        | 12 |
| Bullimore, N. (Ipswich)       | 16 |
| Burns, R. W. (Brisbane)       | 16 |
| Calvert, L. M. (S.A.G.C.)     | 12 |
| Cameron, A. L. (Mt. Gambier)  | 16 |

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| Campbell, D. J. (Gold Coast)        | 15 |
| Cameron, K. J. (Richmond)           | 13 |
| Campbell, E. (Ipswich)              | 16 |
| Campbell, G. (Burdekin)             | 12 |
| Campbell, J. G. (Mt. Gambier)       | 26 |
| Carboni, V. (Perth)                 | 16 |
| Carlotto, M. (Ipswich)              | 12 |
| Carroll, G. (Australian)            | 18 |
| Carroll, P. (Cohuna)                | 14 |
| Casalegno, J. B. (Burdekin)         | 23 |
| Caon, C. (Menindee)                 | 14 |
| Casey, P. (Ipswich)                 | 16 |
| Caskey, C. L. (Menindee)            | 19 |
| Caskey, J. M. (Menindee)            | 22 |
| Caskey, P. R. (Menindee)            | 17 |
| Caskey, R. L. (Menindee)            | 23 |
| Catling, T. (Katanning)             | 24 |
| Celenza, Mrs. F. (Darwin)           | 14 |
| Chapman, A. (Lismore)               | 15 |
| Charlton, K. W. (Darwin)            | 14 |
| Chericoni, V. (Darwin)              | 20 |
| Chin-Quan, W. (Darwin)              | 16 |
| Churches, D. J. (H.M.A.S. Cerberus) | 12 |
| Clayton, A. (Mt. Isa)               | 12 |
| Clegg, B. (Katanning)               | 15 |
| Clements, B. J. (Mt. Gambier)       | 18 |
| Clements, J. M. (Mt. Gambier)       | 15 |
| Close, R. (Brisbane)                | 16 |
| Clowes, J. R. (Burdekin)            | 14 |
| Coates, J. (Alexandra)              | 12 |
| Cohen, Dr. M. J. (Gold Coast)       | 12 |

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| Coast)                         | 12 |
| Cole, B. (Ipswich)             | 16 |
| Cole, T. (Mt. Hagen)           | 14 |
| Collins, S. M. (Bairnsdale)    | 18 |
| Colquhoun, I. (Bangall)        | 12 |
| Commons, E. J. (Bute-Snowtown) | 18 |
| Cooke, E. M. (Brisbane)        | 13 |
| Coppo, J. (Burdekin)           | 20 |
| Corbett, R. V. (Brisbane)      | 13 |
| Corrigan, K. (Mt. Hagen)       | 12 |
| Corstorphane, D. (Colac)       | 20 |
| Coulson, W. (Huntly)           | 26 |
| Cramp, A. E. (Menindee)        | 16 |
| Cramp, W. (Bundaberg)          | 12 |
| Crethary, J. (Brisbane)        | 13 |
| Crittenden, A. (Narrabri)      | 13 |
| Cross, R. (Victorian)          | 12 |
| Crossley, E. M. (Katanning)    | 17 |
| Crothers, J. J. (Warwick)      | 18 |
| Crothers, V. J. (Warwick)      | 16 |
| Cumming, J. A. (Huntly)        | 23 |
| Currie, G. (Swan Hill)         | 12 |
| Curtis, G. (Nathalia)          | 12 |
| Dargavel, M. W. (La Trobe)     | 17 |
| Darlington, D. (Bundaberg)     | 14 |
| Davis, F. J. (Richmond)        | 17 |
| Dervan, D. (S.A.G.C.)          | 12 |
| De Saxe, K. (Lismore)          | 13 |
| Dews, A. P. (Huntly)           | 14 |
| Dickson, L. J. (Bingara)       | 19 |
| Dingle, D. (Mt. Isa)           | 13 |
| Dingwall, P. (Cohuna)          | 12 |
| Dingwall, W. (Cohuna)          | 12 |
| Dolby, K. E. (Brisbane)        | 18 |

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| Donnan, T. F. W. (Mt. Hagen)   | 12 |
| Donovan, P. (Warwick)          | 12 |
| Doubleday, N. (N.S.W. G.C.)    | 12 |
| Downer, M. (Katanning)         | 13 |
| Downer, J. G. (Katanning)      | 15 |
| Doyle, F. W. (Charleville)     | 15 |
| Draper, G. (Darwin)            | 16 |
| Drinkwater, D. (Victorian)     | 13 |
| Du Moulin, H. G. (Charleville) | 20 |
| Dunn, L. P. (Wyarama)          | 21 |
| Durbidge, S. L. (Mt. Gambier)  | 20 |
| Earl, M. L. (Mt. Gambier)      | 22 |
| Eatt, K. J. (Katanning)        | 16 |
| Eden, A. (S.A.G.C.)            | 13 |
| Edmonson, H. A. (Mt. Isa)      | 16 |
| Edgerton, L. (Australian)      | 14 |
| Edwards, W. A. (Toogoolawah)   | 19 |
| Eldridge, G. J. (Brisbane)     | 18 |
| England, B. E. (Mt. Gambier)   | 25 |
| England, C. (Mt. Gambier)      | 20 |
| Ethell, Dr. G. (Lismore)       | 20 |
| Earl, L. J. W. (Mt. Gambier)   | 19 |
| Evans, D. E. (Brisbane)        | 23 |
| Eve, A. G. (Mt. Hagen)         | 12 |
| Exarhos, M. (Mt. Isa)          | 12 |
| Faehrmann, G. W. (Mannum)      | 14 |

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| Farrow, J. M. (Gold Coast)     | 20 |
| Favero, R. (Burdekin)          | 18 |
| Favero, V. (Burdekin)          | 12 |
| Field, E. A. (Cowra)           | 20 |
| Filby, N. (Australian)         | 16 |
| Filby, P. (Australian)         | 12 |
| Finglass, M. S. (Perth)        | 12 |
| Fisher, K. C. (Bundaberg)      | 18 |
| Fisher, M. A. (Perth)          | 12 |
| Fletcher, D. (Gold Coast)      | 16 |
| Fletcher, Mrs. D. (Gold Coast) | 12 |
| Fletcher, G. I. (Charleville)  | 13 |
| Flowers, Miss J. (Colac)       | 13 |
| Flowers, P. N. (Colac)         | 15 |
| Foot, S. (Ipswich)             | 16 |
| Ford, P. G. J. (Charleville)   | 12 |
| Ford, B. (Albany)              | 14 |
| Forzisi, I. (Mt. Isa)          | 14 |
| Foster, K. W. (Perth)          | 12 |
| Fowler, H. (Katanning)         | 13 |
| Frederiksen, L. (Lismore)      | 13 |
| Gard, V. W. (Brisbane)         | 14 |
| Gartner, B. (Darwin)           | 16 |
| Gass, R. J. (Brisbane)         | 13 |
| Gates, D. T. (Menindee)        | 21 |
| Gehrman, R. (Brisbane)         | 24 |
| Gerogles, J. F. (Mannum)       | 18 |
| Gibbons, C. (Royal Aero)       | 12 |
| Gibson, G. (Narrabri)          | 13 |
| Gibson, I. (Katanning)         | 22 |
| Giles, I. F. (Mt. Gambier)     | 12 |
| Gleeson, G. (Menindee)         | 24 |
| Goodacre, L. (Cowra)           | 16 |

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| Gordon, W. A. (Gold Coast)    | 21 |
| Gow, M. J. (Albany)           | 14 |
| Graham, R. D. (Warwick)       | 17 |
| Graham, R. (Brisbane)         | 17 |
| Grech, J. (Mt. Isa)           | 14 |
| Green, C. G. (Gunnedah)       | 14 |
| Green, J. F. (Korumburra)     | 23 |
| Green, K. J. (Mt. Isa)        | 18 |
| Gregor, G. A. (Brisbane)      | 13 |
| Gunn, J. (Tasmanian)          | 13 |
| Gurr, R. (Ipswich)            | 12 |
| Griffiths, A. A. (Gold Coast) | 27 |
| Grist, C. T. (Colac)          | 18 |
| Haller, C. (Burdekin)         | 21 |
| Halls, A. D. (Wyarama)        | 23 |
| Ham, B. C. (Menindee)         | 19 |
| Hamill, R. (Colac)            | 13 |
| Hammat, D. (Wyarama)          | 15 |
| Hamilton, A. D. (Australian)  | 12 |
| Hancock, A. (Newcastle)       | 21 |
| Harbeck, P. (Mt. Hagen)       | 14 |
| Harkness, Miss C. (Mt. Hagen) | 12 |
| Hartley, R. (Huntly)          | 12 |
| Haslam, K. (Victorian)        | 13 |
| Hatfield, B. A. (Richmond)    | 17 |
| Hay, I. (Mt. Gambier)         | 16 |
| Heffer, C. (Kerang)           | 12 |
| Heidke, K. (Bundaberg)        | 12 |
| Heilman, D. B. (Cowra)        | 16 |
| Helander, E. (Burdekin)       | 12 |
| Helmores, J. W. (Australian)  | 12 |

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| Herbig, N. (Gilgandra)           | 12 |
| Herman, J. (Ipswich)             | 18 |
| Heley, R. (Mildura)              | 17 |
| Hibbert, A. (Australian)         | 15 |
| Hicks, A. M. (Gold Coast)        | 17 |
| Hill, J. C. (Brisbane)           | 14 |
| Hodge, T. C. (Mt. Hagen)         | 12 |
| Hoffman, Mrs. D. (Gold Coast)    | 12 |
| Hoffman, D. E. (Gold Coast)      | 16 |
| Hogarth, G., Jr. (Gold Coast)    | 20 |
| Hogarth, Mrs. L. R. (Gold Coast) | 12 |
| Hogarth, R. (Gold Coast)         | 25 |
| Hooker, A. J. (Brisbane)         | 18 |
| Hoskins, Fred (Lismore)          | 16 |
| Howard, D. (Australian)          | 12 |
| Howard, H. W. (Australian)       | 14 |
| Houlihan, J. (Australian)        | 12 |
| Huddleston, K. (Victorian)       | 13 |
| Humphris, J. R. (Mt. Gambier)    | 13 |
| Hutchesson, A. R. (Mt. Gambier)  | 17 |
| Isaacs, K. (Brisbane)            | 21 |
| Isaacs, Mrs. P. (Brisbane)       | 18 |
| Jessup, L. (Darwin)              | 16 |
| Johnson, G. N. (Bundaberg)       | 12 |
| Johnson, H. (Australian)         | 21 |
| Johnston, G. L. (Perth)          | 12 |
| Johnston, N. (Ipswich)           | 17 |
| Jones, J. (Huntly)               | 16 |
| Jones, O. J. (Darwin)            | 13 |



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| Junge, D. (Australian)       | 13 | Lee, C. J. (Warwick)            | 18 | Morris, R. J. (Richmond)        | 16 | Oakes, W. (Burdekin)                | 14 |
| Keddie, N. (Edgehill)        | 15 | Lestrangle, R. D. (Colac)       | 15 | Moss, K. (Mt. Isa)              | 12 | Oborne, E. D. (Colac)               | 23 |
| Kelly, A. (Burdekin)         | 19 | Letzner, Mrs. A. (Darwin)       | 13 | Mott, K. (Richmond)             | 12 | O'Donohoo, H. N. (Charleville)      | 17 |
| Kelly, S. A. (Burdekin)      | 12 | Letzner, K. (Darwin)            | 13 | Mottram, B. (Esperance Bay)     | 14 | O'Leary, J. (Brisbane)              | 14 |
| Kelman, A. K. (Richmond)     | 18 | Lillyman, G. (Richmond)         | 16 | Mount, D. (Lismore)             | 14 | O'Neill, B. J. (Richmond)           | 16 |
| Kelman, B. T. (Richmond)     | 16 | Linton, H. T. (Mt. Isa)         | 12 | Mullins, M. B. (S.A.G.C.)       | 14 | O'Neill, R. F. (Richmond)           | 16 |
| Kemp, A. (Ipswich)           | 23 | Linton, S. (Mt. Isa)            | 12 | Mundt, B. (Ipswich)             | 15 | Owen, E. (Menindee)                 | 17 |
| Kennedy, P. B. (Richmond)    | 23 | Louis, M. (Metropolitan)        | 12 | Munt, B. (Darwin)               | 17 | Packer, G. (Wyarama)                | 13 |
| Kentish, T. F. (Mt. Gambier) | 22 | Lupp, L. (Katanning)            | 20 | Murray, C. (Richmond)           | 12 | Palmer, D. (Euroa)                  | 17 |
| Kerr, A. (Katanning)         | 15 | Mackey, B. (Brisbane)           | 27 | Murray, D. E. (Richmond)        | 22 | Parker, J. R. (Katanning)           | 13 |
| Kibby, R. (Australian)       | 13 | MacLean, Master B. (Darwin)     | 15 | Murrell, J. (Richmond)          | 13 | Parker, G. E. (Brisbane)            | 23 |
| Kilner, P. L. (Brisbane)     | 20 | Maczkowiack, C. R. (Mannum)     | 15 | McAllister, R. (Burdekin)       | 22 | Parkin, W. H. (Mt. Gambier)         | 13 |
| King, M. T. (Perth)          | 12 | Maczkowiack, J. R. (Mannum)     | 22 | McClennan, R. (Burdekin)        | 21 | Paston, R. W. R. (Perth)            | 12 |
| Kirby, L. (Bundaberg)        | 15 | Maddocks, S. S. (Wyarama)       | 12 | McCloy, A. (Sutton Forest)      | 13 | Pattingdale, J. (Bute)              | 13 |
| Kloubek, C. (Darwin)         | 15 | Marks, I. A. (Mt. Gambier)      | 15 | McCracken, M. R. (Bundaberg)    | 13 | Payne, J. (Gold Coast)              | 14 |
| Knudsen, D. H. (Bundaberg)   | 13 | Marks, K. A. (Mt. Gambier)      | 21 | McIntosh, L. J. (South Burnett) | 13 | Peachey, R. T. (Nathalia)           | 12 |
| Knuth, K. (Burdekin)         | 20 | Marstella, A. L. (Gold Coast)   | 17 | McLean, D. (Alexandra)          | 12 | Pearce, V. (Darwin)                 | 15 |
| Kolstad, L. F. (Menindee)    | 17 | Martin, Mrs. G. S. (Gold Coast) | 16 | McMicking, R. H. (Australian)   | 14 | Peacock, R. (Kerang)                | 22 |
| Koskela, E. H. (Mt. Isa)     | 12 | Martin, J. (Colac)              | 14 | McNamara, S. (Mt. Isa)          | 12 | Pederson, V. (Darwin)               | 14 |
| Kowald, A. Katanning)        | 14 | Martin, M. E. (Gold Coast)      | 16 | McNamara, W. T. C. (Perth)      | 12 | Percival, T. L. (H.M.A.S. Cerberus) | 12 |
| Kowald, C. R. (Katanning)    | 15 | Matica, M. J. (Brisbane)        | 12 | Neale, A. R. (Colac)            | 14 | Philpott, J. W. (Darwin)            | 14 |
| Laird, H. H. (Mt. Hagen)     | 12 | Mawer, G. (Ipswich)             | 21 | Neilson, J. (Bundaberg)         | 17 | Percey, J. G. (Mt. Gambier)         | 13 |
| Landrigan, R. D. (Burdekin)  | 19 | Micheals, S. (Brisbane)         | 12 | Nicoladies, S. (Burdekin)       | 17 | Petherick, E. D. (Bute)             | 16 |
| Lang, F. (Gold Coast)        | 23 | Miller, K. (Burdekin)           | 20 | Nieunburg, J. B. (Morwell)      | 17 | Philp, A. (Ipswich)                 | 14 |
| Lang, F., Jnr. (Gold Coast)  | 12 | Money Penny, R. B. (Mt. Hagen)  | 12 | Nissen, E. (Brisbane)           | 12 | Pittaway, N. (Gold Coast)           | 20 |
| Larnack, S. J. (Bathurst)    | 14 | Morgan, T. M. (Brisbane)        | 14 | Nixon, G. C. (Brisbane)         | 19 | Plummer, C. W. (Royal Aero)         | 18 |
| Latemore, M. A. (Ipswich)    | 13 | Morony, T. A. (Bute)            | 16 | Nock, R. (Parkes)               | 12 | Pontifex, M. (Bute)                 | 12 |
| Lawson, J. (Victorian)       | 13 | Morony, V. (Bute)               | 16 | Norman, M. (Burdekin)           | 16 | Porter, I. (Australian)             | 19 |
| Lea, R. (Huntly)             | 12 |                                 |    | Norris, N. (Gold Coast)         | 16 | Porter, R. (Brisbane)               | 22 |
| Leahy, J. (Mt. Hagen)        | 12 |                                 |    | Nuske, C. ((Horsham)            | 18 | Powell, D. (Lismore)                | 18 |

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| Pringle, P. D. (Mt. Gambier)       | 17 | Selke, A. C. (Mt. Isa)       | 17 | Storey, M. (Ipswich)         | 12 | Warren, Miss M. (Wyarama)      | 12 |
| Powell, R. J. (Lismore)            | 16 | Serve, G. (Katanning)        | 14 | Sullivan, K. H. (Men-dooran) | 17 | Warren, R. (Wyarama)           | 18 |
| Quartermaine, R. (Burdekin)        | 19 | Shaw, C. R. (Brisbane)       | 12 | Sutherland, M. (Colac)       | 19 | Warneminde, R. (Brisbane)      | 20 |
| Quigley, J. (Bingara)              | 16 | Sheehan, P. (Latrobe)        | 12 | Sweetapple, J. (Broken Hill) | 14 | Warwick, A. (Wyarama)          | 12 |
| Raaber, H. (Darwin)                | 14 | Shepherd, R. D. (Lismore)    | 18 | Tapper, L. L. (Brisbane)     | 21 | Warwick, F. (Wyarama)          | 12 |
| Rae, N. C. (Katanning)             | 14 | Sherwood, R. (Mt. Hagen)     | 12 | Taylor, N. B. (Darwin)       | 13 | Warwick, G. (Wyarama)          | 14 |
| Rackemann, C. W. (Bundaberg)       | 15 | Shield, R. P. (Mt. Isa)      | 12 | Theyers, G. E. (Nathalia)    | 12 | Warwick, R. (Wyarama)          | 12 |
| Ramage, H. (Wingadee)              | 14 | Shields, G. R. (Huntly)      | 14 | Thomas, C. E. (Mannum)       | 15 | Watson, G. (Brisbane)          | 13 |
| Ramsdale, Sgt. K. W. (Puckapunyal) | 16 | Simpson, J. D. (Cowra)       | 13 | Thurlow, A. (Brisbane)       | 20 | Webb, J. R. (Central Burnett)  | 12 |
| Rao, G. (Ipswich)                  | 19 | Slawson, R. (Brisbane)       | 21 | Tie, A. (Australian)         | 21 | Webb, R. (Colac)               | 12 |
| Richards, N. (Richmond)            | 16 | Smallwood, B. A. (Brisbane)  | 12 | Torok, P. (S.A.G.C.)         | 12 | Webber, C. (Brisbane)          | 13 |
| Rigoni, G. (Darwin)                | 16 | Smaniotto, K. (Wyarama)      | 14 | Tracey, S. (Richmond)        | 12 | Wellington, C. D. (Burdekin)   | 17 |
| Risk, F. B. (Darwin)               | 21 | Smith, A. H. C. (Warwick)    | 16 | Treble, J. (Victorian)       | 16 | Wellington, T. (Mt. Isa)       | 17 |
| Roach, L. (Lismore)                | 13 | Smith, H. S. (Brisbane)      | 25 | Trencher, P. W. (Nathalia)   | 12 | West, S. K. (Charleville)      | 18 |
| Robathan, M. (Katanning)           | 13 | Smith, K. G. (Ipswich)       | 16 | Triodi, F. (Mt. Isa)         | 12 | Westcott, M. (Brisbane)        | 12 |
| Roberts, I. (Alexandra)            | 12 | Smith, L. H. (Brisbane)      | 12 | Truan, G. F. (Puckapunyal)   | 12 | Whatmore, J. R. (Mt. Isa)      | 12 |
| Robinson, B. C. (Horsham)          | 21 | Smith, G. (Huntly)           | 16 | Vigar, J. (Menindee)         | 22 | Whinnen, D. (Pooncarie)        | 12 |
| Roche, M. (Mt. Isa)                | 12 | Smith, W. (Brisbane)         | 12 | Viney, R. (Darwin)           | 20 | White, D. N. (Brisbane)        | 13 |
| Ross, A. (Esperance)               | 14 | Smith, W. D. (Brisbane)      | 12 | Waddell, F. (Victorian)      | 12 | Whitney, A. C. (Gold Coast)    | 22 |
| Rumble, A. D. (Brisbane)           | 12 | Soames, G. (Brisbane)        | 12 | Wait, K. R. (Mt. Gambier)    | 22 | Wilder, H. J. (Cowra)          | 19 |
| Russo, L. (Mt. Isa)                | 14 | Soames, T. (Brisbane)        | 16 | Wakefield, Mrs. R. (Wyarama) | 12 | Wilkinson, T. (Australian)     | 20 |
| Salter, P. V. (Darwin)             | 16 | Somers, H. (Australian)      | 12 | Walker, R. A. (Kerang)       | 16 | Williams, G. (Morwell)         | 12 |
| Sammut, A. (Ipswich)               | 13 | Spargo, E. G. T. (Mannum)    | 14 | Walker, K. L. (Brisbane)     | 12 | Williams, L. J. (Mt. Gambier)  | 22 |
| Samootin, W. (Ipswich)             | 16 | Stace, N. (Alexandra)        | 13 | Walker, K. E. (Richmond)     | 13 | Williams, S. H. (Mt. Gambier)  | 19 |
| Scaroni, P. (Ipswich)              | 13 | Stawell, S. (Australian)     | 12 | Walker, H. C. (N.Z.)         | 23 | Willis, C. J. (Mt. Isa)        | 12 |
| Scarpelli, G. (Mt. Isa)            | 12 | Stevens, G. (Ipswich)        | 16 | Wardell, R. T. (N.S.W. G.C.) | 16 | Woodhead, E. G. (Bangall)      | 12 |
| Scarr, A. V. (Richmond)            | 16 | Stevens, W. (Ipswich)        | 24 | Wardrop, E. Y. (Brisbane)    | 17 | Worrall, Sqd. Ldr. G. (Darwin) | 21 |
| Scolyer, J. R. (Nathalia)          | 12 | Stinchcombe, P. R. (Colac)   | 18 | Waring, B. (Australian)      | 17 | Worrell, D. (Lismore)          | 21 |
| Scott, R. W. (Mt. Gambier)         | 12 | Stollznow, A. F. (Bundaberg) | 15 | Warren, D. (Wyarama)         | 16 |                                |    |
| Serimegour, W. C. (Perth)          | 12 | Stone, D. L. (Korumburra)    | 16 |                              |    |                                |    |



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| Wyatt, J. (Darwin) ..             | 17 |
| Yoannidis, P. G. (Mt. Gambier) .. | 15 |
| Youl, W. (Tasmanian) ..           | 12 |
| Zanetti, G. (Burdekin) ..         | 24 |
| Zarb, I. (N.S.W.G.C.) ..          | 13 |
| Zuchetti, B. J. (Perth) ..        | 12 |

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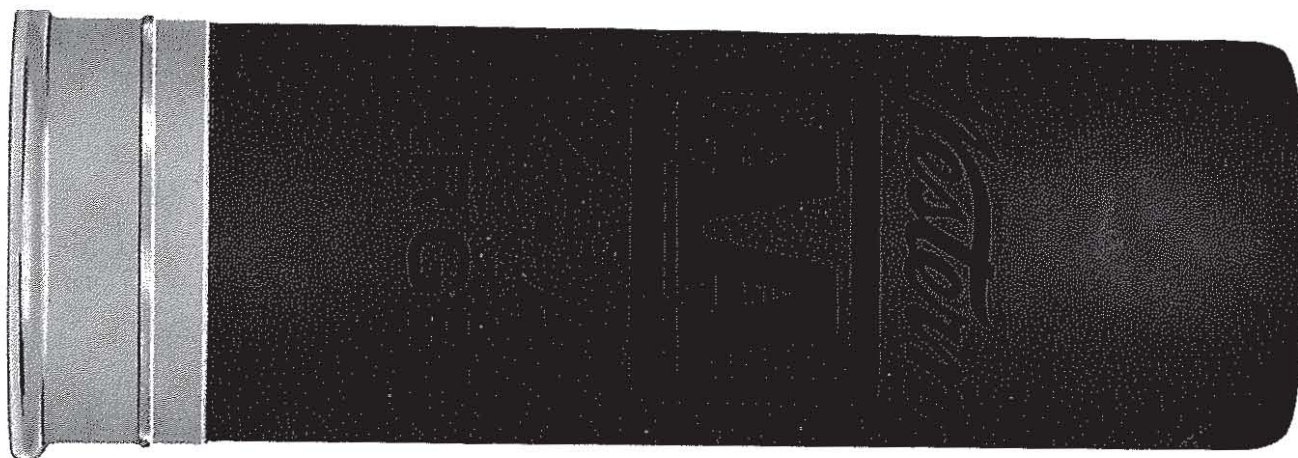
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| Anderson, G. (Katan-ning) ..      | 17 |
| Alvaro, R. (S.A.G.C.) ..          | 17 |
| Baxendale, P. (Mount Hagen)† ..   | 12 |
| Breman, N. G. (Croydon) ..        | 13 |
| Barbaro, F. (Victorian) ..        | 14 |
| Branagh, D. (Geelong) ..          | 21 |
| Brown, L. R. (Lake Cargelligo) .. | 13 |
| Beal, E. (Korumburra) ..          | 19 |
| Bailey, R. V. (Aramac) ..         | 18 |
| Baxter, G. (Queanbeyan) ..        | 13 |
| Broadrib, C. (Brisbane)* ..       | 17 |
| Buerchler, G. (Cloncurry) ..      | 21 |
| Reasley, N. (Townsville) ..       | 16 |

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|----------------------------------------|----|
| Brosso, T. (Wagga) ..                  | 14 |
| Clarke, K. (Braidwood) ..              | 14 |
| Comeby, E. (Noorat) ..                 | 20 |
| Churches, D. J. (H.M.A.S. Cerberus) .. | 13 |
| Coates, V. H. (Cavendish) ..           | 21 |
| Crichton, N. M. (Braidwood) ..         | 13 |
| Coots, M. (Geelong) ..                 | 15 |
| Cutting, D. (Broken Hill) ..           | 16 |
| Crockford, B. L. (Australian) ..       | 17 |
| Chandler, W. J. R. (Gold Coast) ..     | 19 |
| Clarke, K. (Braidwood) ..              | 16 |
| Chapple, D. (Victorian)* ..            | 16 |
| Coates, J. (Cloncurry) ..              | 13 |
| Dipeitrantonio, V. (Victorian) ..      | 14 |
| Dipeitrantonio, U. (Victorian) ..      | 13 |
| Dvorsky, M. (Kar Kar Island) ..        | 14 |
| Delorenzo, V., Jnr. (Deniliquin) ..    | 23 |
| Daish, C. H. (Croydon) ..              | 24 |
| Edwards, B. C. (Townsville) ..         | 17 |
| Ellis, D. H. (Guyra) ..                | 17 |
| Ellison, R. (Parkes) ..                | 26 |
| Fogarty, E. (Victorian) ..             | 16 |
| Faunt, R. G. (Deniliquin) ..           | 22 |
| Fox, M. (Sale) ..                      | 17 |
| Flegler, A. G. (Condamine)* ..         | 12 |
| Finch, G. (Wagga) ..                   | 19 |
| Glasson, O. (Warren) ..                | 16 |
| Grey, F. R. (S.A.G.C.) ..              | 23 |
| Green, J. (Korumburra) ..              | 23 |

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| Hockey, W. (Braidwood) ..          | 15 |
| Haller, C. (Burdekin) ..           | 21 |
| Hayward, G. (Edgehill) ..          | 13 |
| Hyatt, J. R. (Hawkesbury) ..       | 13 |
| Holmes, D. (Geelong) ..            | 15 |
| Humphris, J. R. (Mount Gambier) .. | 13 |
| Jaques, G. J. (Townsville)* ..     | 21 |
| Johnson, A. (Australian) ..        | 15 |
| Jordan, W. (Queanbeyan)* ..        | 19 |
| Jenner, P. N. (Cloncurry) ..       | 16 |
| Kilpatrick, B. (Victorian) ..      | 17 |
| Kocks, G. (Deniliquin) ..          | 14 |
| Kinsey, S. (Deniliquin) ..         | 16 |
| Kennedy, B. (Sale) ..              | 14 |
| Kaye, L. (Victorian) ..            | 15 |
| Lenti, A. V. (Townsville) ..       | 16 |
| Lane, L. J. (N.S.W.G.C.) ..        | 19 |
| Lemmon, E. A. (Cloncurry) ..       | 20 |
| Lewis, J. (Wagga) ..               | 13 |
| Manolini, R. (Kojonup) ..          | 14 |
| Maher, D. (Braidwood) ..           | 13 |
| Moffat, P. R. (Guyra)* ..          | 18 |
| Maiden, R. (Berridale) ..          | 19 |
| Mackay, W. G. (Queanbeyan) ..      | 24 |
| McLennan, R. F. (Giru) ..          | 21 |
| McMaster, S. D. (Guyra) ..         | 19 |
| McLachlan, V. J. (Geelong) ..      | 14 |
| Neilsen, A. (Queanbeyan) ..        | 13 |
| Neville, R. (Hopetoun) ..          | 14 |
| O'Donnell, R. (Victorian) ..       | 19 |
| Pietzner, C. (Mackay) ..           | 21 |
| Pollard, I. (Harcourt) ..          | 13 |

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| Pearson, J. (Hay) ..                 | 15 |
| Povey, A. (Berridale) ..             | 19 |
| Poulton, E. A. (Hopetoun)* ..        | 18 |
| Puntoriero, J. (Wagga) ..            | 13 |
| Radoa, P. (Victorian) ..             | 19 |
| Rodgers, J. D., Jnr. (Barcaldine) .. | 14 |
| Robertson, K. (Queanbeyan) ..        | 14 |
| Rooke, B. (Wagga) ..                 | 14 |
| Sherwood, R. (Mount Hagen)† ..       | 12 |
| Slattery, D. J. (Townsville) ..      | 13 |
| Senserrick, J. (Victorian)† ..       | 17 |
| Smith, E. (Warren) ..                | 17 |
| Sim, L. S. (Tatura) ..               | 23 |
| Sullivan, D. (Sydney) ..             | 15 |
| Skuthorpe, G. (Wingadee)* ..         | 14 |
| Selke, A. C. (Cloncurry)* ..         | 18 |
| Treble, J. (Geelong) ..              | 17 |
| Tucker, A. G. (Horsham) ..           | 20 |
| Tatam, D. (Sydney) ..                | 25 |
| Vitale, S. (Townsville) ..           | 21 |
| Venables, L. (Queanbeyan) ..         | 19 |
| Varley, C. J. (Guyra)* ..            | 18 |
| Vincent, E. (Wagga) ..               | 16 |
| West, A. (Charters Towers) ..        | 14 |
| Wembridge, B. A. (Geelong) ..        | 16 |
| Wiffen, R. K. (Geelong) ..           | 15 |
| Worland, L. (Colac) ..               | 15 |
| Williams, K. V. (Royal Aero) ..      | 20 |



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